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**SPECIFICATIONS** 

For

Excavate, Load, Haul, and Stockpile at km 589. Alaska Highway, B.C.

Project No. R.017173.812

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#### PART 1 GENERAL

Work to be done under this contract consists of excavating, loading, 1.1 Description of Work .1 hauling, and stockpiling common excavation material. In addition, two small embankments will be built. At the left side of km 594.5, and the left side km 621.3. The excavation area is located at the right side of km 589. The stockpile site is located at the right side of km 579.8. Fort Nelson is located at km 455, Tetsa River Lodge is located at 576.5, Toad River Lodge is at km 647.4 on the Alaska Highway, BC. All damage to the BST caused by any actions taken by the .2 Contractor will be repaired at the Contractors own expense. .3 Work zone is limited to ditch line. Contractor will not be permitted to work on existing highway surface. 1.2 Precedence For Federal Government projects, Division 1 Sections take .1 precedence over technical specification sections in other Divisions of this Project Manual. 1.3 Contract Method Construct the work under a Unit Price Contract arrangement as .1 shown on form of tender. 1.4 Work Schedule Complete work by March 15, 2017. No exceptions to this date. .1 Submit construction schedule within seven (7) days of contract .2 award. Indicate anticipated progress stages within date of completion shown in tender documents. .3 Submit a Safety Program acceptable to Workers' Compensation Board at start up meeting. Take necessary measures to complete work according to approved .4 schedule. Change schedule only with Departmental Representative's approval. Maintain access to private and public or commercial facilities for the 1.5 Access to Site .1 duration of the contract. Maintain all emergency vehicles access/control through job site. .2 Allow Departmental Representative and his consultant unrestricted .3 access to site. 1.6 Maintenance and Dust .1 Control dust within active construction area. .2 Control Control dust on haul roads. .3 No separate payment for dust control. 1.7 Highway Regulation .1 Observe and obey all regulations concerning hauling and traffic. Hauling equipment will be restricted to legal loads. .2 1.8 Storage and Handling of Transport, store and handle materials in such a manner as to preserve .1 their quality and fitness for work. Material

Handle materials and execute required cleanup in accordance with

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accepted environmental practices to approval of Departmental Representative or designated regulatory agency.

- 1.9 Regulations
- .1 Federal, Provincial and Municipal laws and regulations apply to all work under this contract.
- 1.10 Site Visit
- .1 Submission of tender will be considered proof that Contractor has examined sites and is familiar with conditions likely to affect work.
- 1.11 Start-Up Meeting
- .1 Start-up meeting to be arranged following award and prior to the commencement of work.

### PART 2 PRODUCTS

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#### 2.1 Excavation Area

- .1 Work excavation source to minimize material waste.
- .2 Km 589 Right side of Highway when facing in direction of travel to Watson Lake is an excavation area beside the existing highway.
- .3 Include cost of clearing, grubbing, & stripping as part of total contract amount.
- .4 Remove and pile stripping and any grubbing material to prevent contamination of common excavation material as directed by Departmental Representative.
- .5 No separate payment for excavation and associated work, but will be included in the applicable unit prices for Embankment at Km 594.5 and at Km 621.3 and Stockpile at Km 568 Pit.

# 2.2 <u>Excavating and</u> Embankments

- .1 Complete excavation to the design lines and grades shown on the contract drawings.
- .2 During excavation maintain profiles, crowns and cross slopes to provide good surface drainage. Provide ditches as work progresses to provide drainage and construct interceptor ditches as shown on plans or as directed before excavating or placing embankment in adjacent area.
- .3 If, during excavation, material appearing to conform to classification for rock excavation is encountered, notify Departmental Representative and provide sufficient time to enable measurements to be made to determine volume of rock. Payment for rock excavation (if required) will be completed according to a change order.
- .4 Embankment areas will be stripped and surveyed for original ground, before any material is placed. When complete, a final survey will be carried out. There will be no separate payment for clearing, grubbing and stripping of the embankment area(s), but will be considered incidental to the embankment unit prices.
- .5 Embankments will watered and compacted as they are being built.

  No extra payment will be made for watering and compacting.

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.6	Embankments will be paid for as in place cubic metres of suitable
	common excavation material.

#### 2.3 Stockpiling

- .1 Stockpile material in locations directed by Departmental Representative. Do not stockpile on completed pavement surfaces.
- .2 Stockpile sites to be level, well drained, and of adequate bearing capacity and stability to support stockpiled materials and handling equipment.
- .3 Do not use intermixed or contaminated materials. Remove and dispose of rejected materials as directed by Departmental Representative.
- .4 Stockpile material in uniform layers 1m thick.
- .5 Uniformly spot-dump material delivered to stockpile in trucks and build up stockpile as specified.
  - .1 Do not cone piles or spill material over edges of piles.
  - .2 Do not use conveying stackers that cause segregation of aggregates.
- .6 During winter operations, prevent ice and snow from becoming mixed into stockpile or in material being removed from stockpile.
- .7 Stockpile area will surveyed for original ground.
- .8 When complete, Stockpiles will be surveyed and paid for as in place cubic meters.

### PART 3 EXECUTION

3.1 Not Used

.1 Not used.

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## Mobilization and Demobilization Excavate, Load, Haul, and Stockpile at km 589. Alaska Highway, B.C.

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### PART 1 GENERAL

- 1.1 Section Includes
- .1 Mobilization and Demobilization
- 1.2 Related Sections
- .1 Section 01 52 00 Construction Facilities
- 1.3 Description
- .1 Consists of preparatory work and operations including, but not limited to, those necessary for the movement of personnel, equipment, camp, buildings, shops, offices, supplies and incidentals to and from the project site.
- 1.4 <u>Measurement for</u> <u>Payment</u>
- .1 Fifty (50) percent of Lump Sum Contract Price for Mobilization and Demobilization, not to exceed five (5) percent of the Contract Value, to be paid when mobilization to site is complete.
- .2 Remainder of Lump Sum Contract Price for Mobilization and Demobilization to be paid when work is complete and all materials, equipment, camp, buildings, shops, offices and other facilities have been removed from site and site cleaned and left in condition to the satisfaction of the Departmental Representative and all other agencies having jurisdiction.

## PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.1 Not Used

.1 Not used.

#### PART 3 EXECUTION

3.1 Not Used

.1 Not used.

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### PART 1 GENERAL

- 1.1 <u>Section Includes</u>
- .1 Coordination of the Work, progress meetings, schedules, submittals, and close out procedures.
- 1.2 Related Sections
- .1 Section 01 11 00 Summary of Work.
- .2 Section 01 32 18 Construction Progress Schedules Bar (GANTT) Chart.
- .3 Section 01 33 00 Submittal Procedures.
- .4 Section 01 35 43 Environmental Procedures.
- .5 Section 01 52 00 Construction Facilities.
- 1.3 Coordination
- .1 Perform coordination of progress schedules, submittals, use of site, temporary utilities, construction facilities, and construction Work, with progress of Work of Other Contractors, and Work by Owner, under instructions of the Departmental Representative.
- 1.4 Project Meetings
- .1 Schedule and administer weekly project meetings throughout progress of Work as determined by Departmental Representative.
- .2 Schedule and administer pre-installation meetings when specified in Sections and when required to coordinate related or affected work.
- .3 Prepare agenda for meetings.
- .4 Distribute written notice of each meeting four days in advance of meeting date to Departmental Representative.
- .5 Provide physical space and make arrangements for meetings.
- .6 Preside at meetings.
- .7 Record minutes. Include significant proceedings and decisions. Identify action by parties.
- .8 Reproduce and distribute copies of minutes within three days after each meeting and transmit to meeting participants, affected parties not in attendance and Departmental Representative.
- 1.5 <u>Construction</u> <u>Organization</u> and Start-up
- .1 Within seven (7) days after award of Contract, request a meeting of parties in contract to discuss and resolve administrative procedures and responsibilities.
- .2 Senior representatives of the Owner, Departmental Representative, Contractor, major Subcontractors, field inspectors and supervisors are to be in attendance.
- .3 Establish the time and location of meeting and notify parties concerned minimum five (5) days before meeting
- .4 Incorporate mutually agreed variations to Contract Documents into Agreement, prior to signing.
- .5 Agenda to include the following
  - .1 Appointment of official representative of participants in Work.
  - .2 Schedule of Work, progress scheduling in accordance with Section 01 32 18.
  - .3 Requirement for temporary facilities, offices, storage sheds, utilities, and fences in accordance with Section 01 35 43.
  - .4 Site safety and security in accordance with Section 01 52 00.
  - .5 Proposed changes, change orders, procedures, approvals required, mark-up percentages permitted, time extensions, working hours, and administrative

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#### requirements.

- .6 Owner furnished materials.
- .7 Monthly progress claims, administrative procedures, photographs and holdbacks.
- .8 Insurance and transcript of policies.
- .6 Comply with Departmental Representative's allocation of mobilization areas of site; for field offices and sheds, for access, traffic, and parking facilities.
- .7 During construction, coordinate use of site and facilities through Departmental Representative's procedures for intra-project communications; submittals, reports and records, schedules, coordination of Drawings, recommendations, and resolution of ambiguities and conflicts.
- .8 Comply with instructions of the Departmental Representative for use of temporary utilities and construction facilities.
- .9 Coordinate field engineering and layout work with Departmental Representative.

# 1.6 On-Site Documents

- .1 Maintain at job site, one copy each of the following:
  - .1 Contract Drawings.
  - .2 Specifications.
  - .3 Addenda.
  - .4 Reviewed Shop Drawings and Asphalt Mix Design.
  - .5 Manufacturer's Installation and Application instructions.
  - .6 Change Orders.
  - .7 Other modifications to Contract.
  - .8 Traffic Management Plan.
  - .9 Safety Plan.
  - .10 WHMIS.
  - .11 Field Test Reports.
  - .12 Copy of approved Work Schedule.
  - .13 Labour Conditions and Wage schedules.
  - .14 Applicable current editions of municipal regulations and by-laws.
  - .15 All applicable Federal Permits and Licenses.
  - .16 All Applicable Provincial Permits and Licenses.

#### 1.7 Schedules

- .1 Submit preliminary construction progress schedule in accordance with Section 01 32 18 to Departmental Representative coordinated with Owner's project schedule.
- .2 After review, revise and resubmit schedule to comply with revised project schedule.
- .3 During progress of Work revise and resubmit as directed by the Departmental Representative.

## 1.8 <u>Construction</u> <u>Progress</u> Meetings

- .1 During course of Work prior to project completion, schedule weekly progress meetings.
- .2 Contractor, major subcontractors involved in the Work and Departmental Representative are to be in attendance.
- .3 Notify parties a minimum of seven (7) days prior to meetings.
- .4 Record minutes of meetings and circulate to attending parties and affected parties not in attendance within five (5) calendar days after meeting.
- .5 Agenda to include the following:
  - .1 Review, approval of minutes of previous meeting.
  - .2 Review of Work progress since previous meeting.

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- .3 Field observations, problems, conflicts.
- .4 Problems which impede construction schedule.
- .5 Review of off-site fabrication delivery schedules.
- .6 Corrective measures and procedures to regain project schedule.
- .7 Revision to construction schedule.
- .8 Progress schedule for next work period.
- .9 Review Submittal schedules: expedite as required.
- .10 Maintenance of Quality standards, review of test results.
- .11 Review proposed changes for affect on construction schedule and on completion date.
- .12 Review site Safety and Security issues.
- .13 Other business.
- .14 Schedule next meeting.

### 1.9 Submittals

- .1 Submit product data in accordance with Section 01 33 00 for review for compliance with Contract Documents.
- .2 Submit requests for payment for review, and for transmittal to the Departmental Representative.
- .3 Submit requests for interpretation of Contract Documents, and obtain instructions through the Departmental Representative.
- .4 Process any proposed substitutions through Departmental Representative.
- .5 Process Change Orders through the Departmental Representative.
- .6 Deliver Closeout submittals for review and preliminary inspections, for transmittal to Departmental Representative.

# 1.10 <u>Closeout</u> Procedures

- .1 Notify Departmental Representative when Work is considered ready for Substantial Performance.
- .2 Accompany Departmental Representative on preliminary inspection to determine items listed for completion or correction.
- .3 Comply with Departmental Representative's instructions for correction of items of Work listed in executed Certificate of Substantial Performance.
- .4 Notify Departmental Representative of instructions for completion of items of Work determined in Departmental Representative's Final Inspection.

#### **PART 2 PRODUCTS**

2.1 Not Used

.1 Not Used.

#### **PART 3 EXECUTION**

3.1 Not Used

.1 Not Used

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#### PART 1 GENERAL

- 1.1 Precedence
- 1.2 <u>Measurement</u> Procedures
- 1.3 <u>Definitions</u>
- .1 For Federal Government projects, Division 1 Sections take precedence over technical specification sections in other Divisions of this Project Manual.
- .1 Cost of providing Construction Progress Schedules will be considered incidental to the work and no additional payment will be made.
- .1 Activity: An element of Work performed during course of Project. An activity normally has an expected duration, and expected cost and expected resource requirements. Activities can be subdivided into tasks.
- .2 Bar Chart (GANTT Chart). A graphic display of schedule-related information. In typical bar chart, activities or other Project elements are listed down left side of chart, dates are shown across top, and activity durations are shown as date-placed horizontal bars. Bar Chart should be derived from MS Project or compatible software.
- .3 Baseline: Original approved plan for Project, plus or minus approved scope changes.
- .4 Construction Work Week: Monday to Sunday, inclusive, will provide seven day work week and define schedule calendar working days as part of Bar (GANTT) Chart submission.
- .5 Duration: Number of work periods (not including holidays or other nonworking periods) required to complete an activity or other Project element. Usually expressed as workdays or workweeks.
- .6 Master Plan: A summary-level schedule that identifies major activities and key milestones.
- .7 Milestone: A significant event in Project, usually completion of major deliverable.
- .8 Project Schedule: The planned dates for performing activities and the planned dates for meeting milestones. A dynamic, detailed record of tasks or activities that must be accomplished to satisfy Project objectives. Monitoring and control process involves using Project Schedule in executing and controlling activities and is used as basis for decision making throughout project life cycle.
- .9 Project Planning, Monitoring and Control System: Overall system operated by Departmental Representative to enable monitoring of project work in relation to established milestones.

#### 1.4 Requirements

- .1 Ensure Master Plan and Detail Schedules are practical and remain within specified Contract duration.
- .2 Plan to complete Work in accordance with prescribed milestones and time frame.
- .3 Limit activity durations to maximum of approximately 20 working days, to allow for progress reporting.
- .4 Ensure that it is understood that Award of Contract or time of beginning, rate

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of progress, Substantial Completion Certificate and Final Certificate as defined times of completion are of essence of this contract.

#### 1.5 Submittals

- .1 Submit to Departmental Representative within Seven (7) working days of Award of Contract Bar (GANTT) Chart as Master Plan for planning, monitoring and reporting of project progress.
- .2 Submit Project Schedule to Departmental Representative within ten (10) working days of receipt of acceptance of Master Plan. Within seven (7) days after award of Contract, request a meeting of parties in contract to discuss and resolve administrative procedures and responsibilities.

#### 1.6 Project Milestones

- .1 Project milestones form interim targets for Project Schedule:
  - .1 Substantial Completion by March, 15, 2017.

#### 1.7 Master Plan

- .1 Structure schedule to allow orderly planning, organizing and execution of Work as Bar Chart (GANTT).
- .2 Departmental Representative will review and return revised schedules within five (5) working days.
- .3 Revise impractical schedule and resubmit within 5 working days.
- .4 Accepted revised schedule will become Master Plan and be used as baseline for updates.

### 1.8 Project Schedule

- .1 Develop detailed Project Schedule derived from Master Plan
- .2 Ensure detailed Project Schedule includes as minimum milestone and Activity types as follows:
  - .1 Award.
  - .2 Submission of:
    - .1 Shop Drawings.
    - .2 Environmental Protection Plan.
    - .3 Traffic Control Plan.
    - .4 Site Specific Safety Plan.
  - .3 Mobilization and preparation of staging area(s).
  - .4 Excavation and Placement of material.
  - .5 Site Clean-up and demobilization.

# 1.9 <u>Project Schedule</u> <u>Reporting</u>

- .1 Update Project Schedule on monthly basis reflecting activity changes and completions, as well as activities in progress.
- .2 Include as part of Project Schedule, narrative report identifying Work status to date, comparing current progress to baseline, presenting current forecasts, defining problem areas, anticipated delays and impact with possible mitigation.

# 1.10 Project Meetings

.1 Discuss Project Schedule at regular site meetings, identify activities that are behind schedule and provide measures to regain slippage. Activities

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considered behind schedule are those with projected start or completion dates later than current approved dates shown on baseline schedule.

.2 Weather related delays with their remedial measures will be discussed and negotiated.

#### PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.1 Not Used

.1 Not Used.

## **PART 3 EXECUTION**

3.1 Not Used

.1 Not Used

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# Submittal Procedures Excavate, Load, Haul, and Stockpile at km 589. Alaska Highway, B.C.

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## PART 1 GENERAL

#### 1.1 Section Includes

- .1 Shop drawings and production data.
- .2 Certificates and transcripts.
- .3 Required Contractor Submittals.
  - .1 Pre-mobilization Submittals.
  - .2 Construction Phase Submittals.
  - .3 Project Completion Submittals

#### 1.2 Related Sections

- .1 Section 01 32 18 Construction Progress Schedules
- .2 Section 01 35 33 Health and Safety Requirements
- .3 Section 01 35 43 Environmental Procedures

#### 1.3 Administrative

- .1 Submit to Departmental Representative, submittals listed for review. Submit with reasonable promptness and in orderly sequence so as to not cause delay in work. Failure to submit in ample time is not considered sufficient reason for an extension of contract time and no claim for extension by reason of such default will be allowed.
- .2 Work affected by submittal shall not proceed until review is complete.
- .3 Present shop drawings, product date, samples and mock-ups in SI Metric units.
- .4 Where items or information is not produced in SI Metric units, converted values are acceptable.
- .5 Review submittals prior to submission to Departmental Representative. This review represents that necessary requirements have been determined and verified, or will be, and that each submittal has been checked and coordinated with requirements of Work and Contract Documents. Submittals not stamped, signed, dated and identified as to specific project will be returned without being examined and shall be considered rejected.
- .6 Notify Departmental Representative, in writing at time of submission, identifying deviations from requirements of Contract Documents stating reasons for deviations.
- .7 Verify field measurements and affected adjacent work are coordinated.
- .8 Contractor's responsibility for errors and omissions in submission is not relieved by Departmental Representative's review of submittals.
- 9 Contractor's responsibility for deviations in submission from requirements of Contract Documents is not relieved by Departmental Representative review.
- .10 Keep one reviewed copy of each submission on site.

# 1.4 Shops Drawings and Product Data

- .1 The term "shop drawings" means drawings, diagrams, illustrations, schedules, performance charts, brochures and other data which are to be provided by contractor to illustrate details of a portion of work.
- .2 Indicate materials, methods of construction and attachment or anchorage, erection diagrams, connections, explanatory notes and

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- other information necessary for completion of work. Where articles or equipment attach or connect to other articles or equipment, indicate that such items have been coordinated, regardless of Section under which adjacent items will be supplies and installed. Indicate cross references to design drawings and specifications.
- .3 Allow ten (10) days for Departmental Representative's review of each submission.
- .4 Adjustments made on shop drawings by Departmental Representative are not intended to change Contract Price. If adjustments affect value of work, state such in writing to Departmental Representative prior to proceeding with work.
- .5 Make changes in shop drawings as Departmental Representative may require, consistent with Contract Documents. When resubmitting, notify Departmental Representative in writing of any revisions other than those requested.
- .6 Accompany submissions with transmittal letter containing:
  - .1 Date.
  - .2 Project title and number.
  - .3 Contractor's name and address.
  - .4 Identification and quantity of each shop drawing, product data and sample.
  - .5 Other pertinent data.
- .7 Submissions shall include:
  - .1 Date and revision dates.
  - .2 Project title and number.
  - .3 Name and address of:
    - .1 Subcontractor.
    - .2 Supplier.
    - .3 Manufacturer.
  - .4 Contractor's stamp, signed by Contractor's authorized representative certifying approval of submissions, verification of field measurements and compliance with Contract Documents.
  - .5 Details of appropriate portions of work as applicable:
    - .1 Fabrication.
    - .2 Performance characteristics.
    - .3 Standards.
- .8 After Departmental Representative's review, distribute copies.
- .9 Make all submissions via online project system OPROMA unless otherwise directed by the Departmental Representative.
- .10 Submit six hard copies and one electronic copy of product data sheets or brochures for requirements requested in specification Sections and as requested by Departmental Representative where shop drawing will not be prepared due to standardized manufacture of product.
- .11 Delete information not applicable to project.
- .12 Supplement standard information to provide details applicable to project.
- .13 If upon review by Departmental Representative, no errors or

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- omissions are discovered or if only minor corrections are made, copies will be returned and fabrication and installation of work may proceed. If shop drawings are rejected, noted copy will be returned and resubmission of corrected shop drawings, through same procedure indicated above, must be performed before fabrication and installation of work may proceed.
- .14 The review of shop drawings by Public Works & Government Services Canada (PWGSC) is for the sole purpose of ascertaining conformance with general concept. This review shall not mean that PWGSC approves detail design inherent in shop drawings, responsibility for which shall remain with Contractor submitting same, and such review shall not relieve Contractor of responsibility for errors or omissions in shop drawings or of responsibility for meeting all requirements of construction and Contract Documents. Without restricting generality of foregoing, Contractor is responsible for dimensions to be confirmed and correlated at job site, for information that pertains solely to fabrication processes or to techniques of construction and installation and for coordination of work of all sub-trades.

# 1.5 <u>Certificates and</u> <u>Transcripts</u>

- .1 Immediately after award of Contract, submit Workers' Compensation Board status.
- .2 Submit transcription of insurance immediately after award of contract.

## 1.6 <u>Required Contractor</u> <u>Submittals</u>

#### .1 General

- .1 This Clause identifies the plans, programs and documentation required prior to mobilization on site and during the construction phase.
- .2 Pre-Mobilization Submittals
  - .1 Submittal Schedule and Acceptance
    - .1 Submit the following plans and programs to the Departmental Representative for review a minimum of 10 days prior to mobilization to the project site. The Contractor shall not begin any sit work until the Departmental Representative has authorized acceptance of the submittals in writing. The Contractor shall not construe the Departmental Representative's authorization of the submittals to imply approval of any particular method or sequence for conducting the work, or for addressing health and safety concerns. Authorization of the programs shall not relieve the Contractor from the responsibility to conduct the work in strict accordance with the requirements of Federal or Provincial regulations, this specification, or to adequately protect the health and safety of all workers involved in the project and any members of the public who may be affected by the project. The Contractor shall remain solely responsible for the adequacy and completeness of the programs and

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#### work practices, and adherence to them:

- 1 Project Schedule, detailing the schedule of the workdays and manpower required to complete each phase of the project (e.g., mobilization, construction sequencing, excavation, steel erection, backfilling, roadway reconstruction and demobilization).
- .2 Contractor Chain of Command, listing key Contractor personnel, including names and positions, addresses, telephone, cellular telephone and/or pager numbers. The list shall include the names and telephone/cellular telephone/pager numbers for contact persons who are available on a 24-hour basis in the event of emergencies.
- .3 Work Plan, describing the Contractor's intended methods of construction including, but not limited to, the environmental mitigation strategies and projected number of personnel on site.
- .4 Construction Access Plan, which shall include, but not be limited to, engineering drawings and procedures for accessing all areas of the work.
- .5 Environmental Protection Plans (EPP), which shall meet the requirements of Section 01 35 43 Environmental Procedures.
- .6 Camp Site Plan, showing the layout of fences, parking areas and buildings, and describing the facilities for food and waste storage in accordance with Section 01 35 43 Environmental Procedures. The maximum area of the campsite shall be 50 m by 50 m.
- .7 Occupational Health and Safety Program The Contractor shall have a Certificate of Recognition (COR) or Registered Safety Plan (RSP) including a site specific Health and Safety Plan acceptable to the Departmental Representative. The Contractor shall implement and maintain the Health and Safety Plan during the work.
- .3 Construction Phase Submittals
  - Monthly Progress Reports in accordance with Section 01 32 18
     Construction Progress Schedules Bar Chart (GANTT).
  - .2 Quality Control Inspection Reports The Contractor shall maintain a daily inspection report that itemizes the results of al Quality Control inspections conducted by the Contractor. The reports shall be made available for review by the Departmental Representative upon request. A summary of all Quality Control inspections conducted to date shall be submitted by the Contractor with each request for payment.

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- .3 Shop Drawings The Contractor shall submit all shop drawings required to fabricate and conduct the work a minimum 30 days prior to fabrication.
- .4 Progress Photographs:
  - .1 Formats:
    - .1 Prints 200 x 300 mm, colour, glossy, complete with binding edge or in three hole plastic sleeves.
    - .2 Electronic: jpg files, minimum three mega pixels.
  - .2 Submission requirements: three sets prints and one set of electronic files.
  - .3 Identification: typewritten name and number of project, description of photography and date of exposure on 25 x 50mm white patch in upper right hand corner.
  - .4 Viewpoints: viewpoints determined by Construction Manager or Departmental Representative.
- .5 Submission Frequency: prior to commencement of work and monthly thereafter with progress statement, or as directed by construction Manager or Departmental Representative.
- .6 Submit all negatives of all photographs before final acceptance. Submit CD with all electronic pictures as part of closeout package.
- .7 Weekly traffic control reports detailing any traffic accidents, near misses, disruption to traffic or observed abnormal traffic patterns.
- .4 Project Completion Submittals:
  - .1 Record Drawings The Contractor shall submit copies of all Contractor's Drawings revised as necessary to record all asbuilt changes to the work and the Contractor shall submit a set of Contract Drawings clearly marked to record as-built changes to the work.
  - .2 Quality Control Records The Contractor shall submit a bound and itemized set of project quality control.

#### **PART 2 PRODUCTS**

2.1 Not Used

.1 Not used.

#### PART 3 EXECUTION

3.1 Not Used

.1 Not used.

## Special Procedures – Traffic Control Excavate, Load, Haul, and Stockpile at km 589. Alaska Highway, B.C.

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#### PART 1 GENERAL

#### 1.1 Section Includes

- .1 Related Sections.
- .2 Requirements of Regulatory Agencies.
- .3 Measurement of Payment.
- .4 Reference Standards.
- .5 Traffic Management Plan.
- .6 Informational and Warning Devices.
- .7 Protection and Control of Public Traffic.
- .8 Operational Requirements.
- .9 Weight Restrictions.

#### 1.2 Related Sections

- .1 Section 31 14 13 Stripping and Stockpiling Material.
- 1.3 <u>Requirements of</u> <u>Regulatory Agencies</u>
- .1 Comply with requirements of Acts, Regulations and By-laws in force for regulation of traffic or use of roadways upon or over which it is necessary to carry out work or haul materials or equipment.
- 1.4 <u>Measurement</u> Procedures
- .2 Measurement for payment will be Lump Sum.

#### 1.5 Reference Standards

- .1 "Traffic Control Manual for Work on Roadways" distributed by Province of British Columbia, Ministry of Transportation. Ensure current copy of manual is available on site at all times.
- .2 Nothing in this Section limits the Contractor's responsibility to safely accommodate traffic through unique or varied construction situations.

# 1.6 <u>Traffic Management</u> <u>Plan</u>

- .1 Provide for review and acceptance a Traffic Management Plan to the Departmental Representative. The Traffic Management Plan shall provide a complete and unambiguous plan of the traffic accommodation strategies proposed for use during the work at each stage. The Traffic Management Plan shall be fully integrated with the Contractor's plans and schedule for carrying out the work, shall be developed in accordance with the latest version of the "Traffic Control Manual for Work on Roadways" and the requirements of this Section.
- .2 The Traffic Management Plan to be submitted to the Departmental Representative for review and acceptance at least ten (10) days prior to the start of any work effecting traffic flows. The Departmental Representative will review the Traffic Management Plan (first submission and if required subsequent re-submissions) within seven (7) days of submission. Upon review of the Plan the Departmental Representative will either:
  - .1 Reject the Plan and provide comments outlining required changes or details of additional information needed. Following completion of edits, re-submit the Plan for review.

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#### .2 Accept the Plan.

If the Plan is rejected, the Contractor shall make edits and re-submit the Plan for review and acceptance. Any review or comments provided by the Departmental Representative does not in any way relieve the Contractor of any of its responsibilities for ensuring safe and appropriate Traffic Management. No work that affects the flow of traffic will be permitted until the Traffic Management Plan has been accepted by the Departmental Representative.

.3 The Contractor shall allow time in its schedule for the reviews, and subsequent edits/re-submissions.

#### PART 2 PRODUCTS

# 2.1 <u>Information and</u> <u>Warning Devices</u>

- .1 Supply new signs, delineators, barricades, traffic cones and miscellaneous warning devices as specified in "Traffic Control Manual for Work on Roadways".
- .2 Supply two (2) portable electrically illuminated message signs.

### 2.2 Traffic Markers

.1 Provide Type D traffic cones as specified in Traffic Control Manual for Work on Roadways. Have a minimum of one hundred (100) traffic cones for use on site prior to start of work.

#### PART 3 EXECUTION

## 3.1 <u>Protection of Public</u> <u>Traffic</u>

- .1 When working on traveled way:
  - .1 Position equipment to present minimum of interference and hazard to travelling Public.
  - .2 Keep equipment units as close together as working conditions permit and preferably on same side of traveled way.
  - .3 Do not leave equipment parked on Highway shoulders or on the travelled way overnight.
- .2 Do not close any lanes of road or highway without prior approval of Departmental Representative. Before rerouting traffic erect suitable signs and devices in accordance with instructions contained in Traffic Control Manual for Work on Roadways.
- .3 Keep traveled way graded, free of pot holes and of sufficient width for required number of lanes of traffic.
  - .1 Provide dedicated minimum 7m wide temporary roadway for traffic in two-way sections through Work and on detours. Widen roadway as necessary in curves to provide adequate room for transport trucks to meet safely.
  - .2 Provide dedicated minimum 5m wide temporary roadway for traffic

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in one-way sections through Work and on detours.

- .4 Provide well-graded, signed, and maintained detours or temporary roads to facilitate passage of traffic around restricted construction area(s).
- .5 Provide Dust control.
- Provide and maintain reasonable access to property in vicinity of work under contract and in other areas as indicated, unless other reasonable means of road access exist that meet approval of Departmental Representative.
- .7 Complete new grade as soon as practical after disturbing existing roadway surface.

# 3.2 <u>Informational and Warning Devices</u>

- .1 Provide, erect, and maintain signs, flashing warning lights, and other devices required to indicate construction activities and other temporary and unusual conditions resulting from project work which requires road user response as specified in "Traffic Control Manual for Work on Roadways".
- .2 Place signs and other devices in locations recommended in the "Traffic Control Manual for Work on Roadways".
- .3 Signs shall be wind resistant.
- .4 Meet with the Departmental Representative prior to commencement of work to prepare list of signs and other devices required for the project. If situation on site changes, revise list to approval of Departmental Representative.
- .5 Continually maintain traffic control devices in use by:
  - .1 Checking signs daily for legibility, damage, suitability and location. Clean, repair or replace to ensure clarity and reflectance.
  - .2 Removing or covering signs which do not apply to conditions existing from day to day.
  - .3 Stop lights may be used in conjunction with pilot vehicles only if all equipment is not working and off road and adequate signage is in place.
  - .4 Posting all finished sections longer than two (2) km at 80km/h.
- .6 Ensure that necessary traffic cones and signs are in place prior to interference with traffic on existing roadways.

### 3.3 <u>Control of Public</u> <u>Traffic</u>

- .1 Provide traffic control in accordance with "Traffic Control Manual for Work on Roadways".
- .2 Flag persons:
  - .1 Provide trained, competent flag persons with valid Certificate of Competency recognized by Worker's Compensation Board.
  - .2 Provide flag persons with proper equipment and clothing as specified in "Traffic Control Manual for Work on Roadways".
  - .3 Flag persons are required in following situations:
    - .1 When Public Traffic is required to pass working vehicles or equipment which block all or part of travelled roadway.
    - .2 When it is necessary to institute one-way traffic system through construction area or other blockage where traffic volumes are heavy, approach speeds are high and traffic signal system is not in use.
    - .3 When workmen, or equipment are employed on travelled way over brow of hills, around sharp curves or at other locations

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- where oncoming traffic would not otherwise have adequate warning.
- .4 When temporary protection is required while other traffic control devices are being erected or taken down.
- .5 For emergency protection when other traffic control devices are not readily available.
- .6 In situations where complete protection for workers, working equipment and Public traffic is not provided by other traffic control devices.
- .7 At each end of restricted sections where pilot vehicles are required.
- .8 When construction traffic is crossing roadway.
- .3 Maximum delays to Public Traffic due to Contractor's operations: 15 minutes at Flag Person station.
- .4 Pilot vehicles:
  - .1 Provide pilot vehicles. Equip pilot vehicles with orange flashing lights and signs clearly designating vehicles as pilot vehicles in following situations:
    - .1 Where equipment is working on section of roadway longer than 300m or shorter if visibility is limited.
    - .2 Where traffic is required to travel on partially completed roadway or on detours longer than 300m or shorter if visibility is limited.
    - 3 Where it is necessary to institute one-way traffic.
    - .4 Where access through work would be otherwise dangerous.
- 3.4 Operational Requirements

  1.1 Maintain existing conditions for traffic throughout period of Contract except when required for construction under contract and when measures have been taken as specified herein and approved by the Departmental Representative to protect and control Public traffic. Existing conditions for traffic may be
  - .1 Single lane alternating traffic.

restricted as follows:

- .2 Speed limit reduced to 50km/h.
- 3.5 Weight Restrictions
- 1 British Columbia Highway Traffic Act pertaining to registered weight limits and vehicle size will control loads to be hauled over highway, both within and outside contract limits.

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- 1.1 Related Sections
- .1 All sections.
- 1.2 References
- .1 Government of Canada
  - .1 Canada Labour Code, Part II
  - .2 Canada Occupational Health and Safety Regulations
- .2 Province of British Columbia
  - .1 Worker's Compensation Act Part 3, Occupational Health and Safety
  - .2 Occupational Health and Safety Regulations.
- 1.3 Workers' Compensation
  Coverage
- .1 Comply fully with the Workers' Compensation Act, regulations and orders pursuant thereto, and any amendments up to the completion of the work.
- .2 Maintain Workers' Compensation Board coverage during term of the contract, until and including the date that the Final Certificate of Completion is issued.
- 1.4 <u>Compliance with</u> <u>Regulations</u>
- .1 PWGSC may terminate the contract without liability to PWGSC where the Contractor, in the opinion of PWGSC, refuses to comply with a requirement of the Workers' Compensation Act or the Occupational Health and Safety Regulations.
- .2 It is the Contractor's responsibility to ensure that all workers are qualified, competent and certified to perform the work as required by the Workers' Compensation Act or the Occupational Health and Safety Regulations.
- 1.5 Submittals
- .1 Submit the following:
  - .1 Copies of reports or directions issued by Federal, Provincial, Territorial Health and Safety inspectors.
  - .2 Copies of incident and accident reports.
  - .3 Complete set of Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDS), and all other documentation required by Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (WHMIS) requirements.
  - .4 Emergency Procedures.
  - .5 Health and Safety Plan.
- .2 The Departmental Representative will review the Contractor's site-specific project Health and Safety Plan and emergency procedures and provide comments to the Contractor within two days after receipt of the plan. Revise the plan as appropriate and resubmit to Departmental Representative on request.
- .3 Medical surveillance: where prescribed by legislation, regulation, or safety program, submit certification of medical surveillance for site personnel prior to commencement of work and submit additional certifications for any new site personnel to Departmental Representative.
- .4 Submission of the Health and Safety Plan and any revised version, to

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the Departmental Representative, is for information and reference purposes only. It shall not:

- .1 Be construed to imply approval of the Departmental Representative.
- .2 Be interpreted as a warranty of being complete, accurate and legislatively compliant.
- .3 Relieve the Contractor of his legal obligations for the provision of health and safety on the project.

#### 1.6 Responsibility

- .1 The Contractor shall be responsible for:
  - .1 Assume responsibility as the Prime Contractor or work under this contract.
  - .2 The safety of persons and property on site.
  - .3 The protection of persons off-site and the environment to the extent that they may be affected by the conduct of the work.
  - .4 Comply with and enforce compliance by employees with safety requirements of Contract Documents, applicable Federal, Provincial, Territorial and Local statutes, regulations, and ordinances, and with site-specific Health and Safety Plan.

#### 1.7 General

- .1 Provide safety barricades and lights around work site as required to provide a safe working environment for workers and protection for pedestrian and vehicular traffic.
- .2 Ensure that non-authorized persons are not allowed to circulate in designated construction areas of the work site.
  - .1 Provide appropriate means by use of barricades, fences, warning signs, traffic control personnel and temporary lighting as required.
  - .2 Secure site at night-time as deemed necessary to protect site against entry.

# 1.8 <u>Regulatory</u> <u>Requirements</u>

- .1 Comply with specified codes, acts, bylaws, standards and regulations to ensure safe operations at site.
- .2 In the event of conflict between any provisions of the above authorities, the most stringent provision will apply. Should a dispute arise in determining the most stringent requirement, the Departmental Representative will advise on the course of action to be followed.

#### 1.9 Filing of Notice

- .1 The Contractor is to complete and submit an Advance Notice of Project as required by British Columbia Worker's Compensation Branch.
- .2 Provide copies of all notices to the Departmental Representative.

#### 1.10 Health and Safety Plan

- .1 Conduct a site-specific hazard assessment based on review of Contract Documents, required work and project site. Identify any known and potential health risks and safety hazards.
- .2 Prepare and comply with a site-specific project Health and Safety Plan based on hazard assessment, including, but not limited to, the

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#### following:

- .1 Primary requirements:
  - .1 Contractor's Safety Policy.
  - .2 Identification of applicable compliance obligations.
  - .3 Definition of responsibilities for project/organization chart for project.
  - .4 General safety rules for project.
  - .5 Job-specific safe work procedures.
  - .6 Inspection policy and procedures.
  - .7 Incident reporting and investigation policy and procedures.
  - .8 Occupation Health and Safety Committee/Representative procedures.
  - .9 Occupational Health and Safety meetings.
  - .10 Occupational Health and Safety communications and record keeping procedures.
- .2 Summary of health risks and safety hazards resulting from analysis of hazard assessment, with respect to site tasks and operations which must be performed as part of the work.
- .3 List hazardous materials to be brought on site as required by the work.
- .4 Indicate engineering and administrative control measures to be implemented at the site for managing identified risks and hazards.
- .5 Identify personal protective equipment (PPE) to be used by workers.
- .6 Identify personal protective equipment (PPE) to be used by workers.
- .7 Identify personnel and alternates responsible for site safety and health.
- .8 Identify personnel training requirements and training plan, including site orientation for new workers.
- .3 Develop the plan in collaboration with all subcontractors. Ensure that work/activities of subcontractors are included in the hazard assessment and are reflected in the plan.
- .4 Revise and update Health and Safety Plan as required and resubmit to Departmental Representative.
- .5 The review of Health and Safety Plan by Public Works & government Services Canada (PWGSC) is for the sole purpose of ascertaining conformance with General Directive 073. PWGSC's review shall not relieve the Contractor of responsibility for errors or omissions in final Health and Safety Plan or of responsibility for meeting all requirements of construction and Contract Documents.

#### 1.11 Emergency Procedures

- .1 List standard operating procedures and measures to be taken in emergency situations. Include an evacuation plan and emergency contact (i.e. Names/telephone numbers) of:
  - .1 Designated personnel from own company.

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- .2 Regulatory agencies applicable to work and as per legislated regulation.
- .3 Local emergency resources.
- .4 Departmental Representative (site staff).
- .2 Included the following provisions in the emergency procedures:
  - .1 Notify workers and first aid attendant of the nature and location of the emergency.
  - .2 Evacuate all workers safely.
  - .3. Check and confirm the safe evacuation of all workers.
  - .4 Notify the fire department or other emergency responders.
  - .5 Notify adjacent workplaces or residences which may be affected if the risk extends beyond the workplace.
  - .6 Notify Departmental Representative.
- .3 Provide written rescue/evacuation procedures as required for, but not limited to:
  - .1 Work at high angles.
  - .2 Work in confined spaces or where there is a risk of entrapment.
  - .3 Work with hazardous substances.
  - .4 Underground work.
  - .5 Work on, over, under and adjacent to water.
  - .6 Workplaces where there are persons who require physical assistance to be moved.
- .4 Revise and update Emergency Procedures as required and re-submit to the Departmental Representative.

## 1.12 <u>Health and Safety</u> <u>Coordinator</u>

- .1 Employ and assign to work, competent and authorized representative as Health and Safety Coordinator. Health and Safety Coordinator must:
  - .1 Have minimum 2 years' site-related working experience specific to activities associated with Construction.
  - .2 Have working knowledge of occupational safety and health regulations.
  - .3 Be responsible for completing Contractor's Health and Safety Training Sessions and ensuring that personnel not successfully completing required training are not permitted to enter site to perform work.
  - .4 Be responsible for implementing, enforcing daily and monitoring site-specific Contractor's Health and Safety Plan.
  - .5 Be on site during execution of work and report directly to and be under direction of site supervisor.

#### 1.13 Hazardous Products

- .1 Comply with requirements of Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (WHMIS) regarding use, handling, storage, and disposal of hazardous materials and regarding labelling and provision of Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDS) acceptable to the Departmental Representative and in accordance with the Canada Labour Code.
- .2 Where use of hazardous or toxic waste cannot be avoided:

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- .1 Advise Departmental Representative beforehand of the products intended for use. Submit applicable MSDS and WHMIS documents.
- 1.14 Unforeseen Hazards
- .1 Should any unforeseen or peculiar safety-related factor, hazard, or condition become evident during performance of work, immediately stop work and advise Departmental Representative verbally and in writing.
- 1.15 Posted Documents
- .1 Post legible versions of the following documents on site:
  - .1 Health and Safety Plan.
  - .2 Sequence of Work.
  - .3 Emergency Procedures.
  - .4 Site drawing showing project layout, locations of first-aid station, evacuation route and marshalling station and the emergency transportation provisions.
  - .5 Notice of Project.
  - .6 Floor Plans.
  - .7 Notice as to where copy of the Workers' Compensation Act and Regulations are available on the work site for review by employees and workers.
  - .8 Workplace Hazardous Information System (WHMIS) documents.
  - .9 Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDS).
  - .10 List of names of joint Health and Safety Committee members of Health and Safety Representative as applicable.
- .2 Post all Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDS) on site, in a common area, visible to all workers and in locations accessible to tenants when work of the contract includes construction activities adjacent to occupied areas.
- .3 Postings and Insert Postings should be approved by Departmental Representative.
- 1.16 Meetings
- .1 Attend health and safety pre-construction meeting and all subsequent meetings called by the Departmental Representative.
- 1.17 <u>Correction of</u>
  <u>Noncompliance</u>
- .1 Immediately address health and safety noncompliance issues identified by authority having jurisdiction or by Departmental Representative.
- .2 Provide Departmental Representative with written report of action taken to correct noncompliance of health and safety issues identified.
- .3 Departmental Representative may stop work if noncompliance of health and safety regulations is not corrected. The General/subcontractors will be responsible for any costs arising from such a "stop work order".

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2.1 Not Used

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# PART 3 EXECUTION

3.1 Not Used

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- .23 Environmental Protection Supplies
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#### 1.2 Related Sections

- .1 Section 01 33 00 Submittal Procedures
- .2 Section 02 61 33 Hazardous Waste Material

#### 1.3 Definitions

- .1 Environmental Pollution and Damage: presence of chemical, physical, biological elements or agents which adversely affect human health and welfare; unfavourably alter ecological balances of importance to human life; affect other species of importance to humankind; or degrade the environment aesthetically, culturally and/or historically.
- .2 Environmental Protection: prevention/control of pollution and habitat or environment disruption during construction. Control of environmental pollution and damage requires consideration of land, water, and air; biological and cultural resources; and includes management of visual aesthetics; noise; solid, chemical, gaseous, and liquid waste; radiant energy and radioactive material as well as other pollutants.
- .3 Environmental Protection Plan: is prepared by Contractor and describes in writing all the environmental protection and mitigation measures that will be applied throughout the life of the Project by the Contractor to avoid or minimize the potential effects on the environment associated with the Project.
- .4 Wetted Perimeter: area of stream where water is currently running or pooled.
- .5 In-stream Work: any work performed below the high water mark, either within

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- or above the Wetted Perimeter of any Fisheries Sensitive Zone.
- .6 Fisheries Sensitive Zone: in-stream aquatic habitats and out of stream habitat features such as side channels, wetlands, and riparian areas.
- .7 Invasive plants: are any alien plant species that have the potential to pose undesirable or detrimental impacts on humans, animals or ecosystems. Invasive plants have the capacity to establish quickly and easily on both disturbed and undisturbed sites, and can cause widespread negative economic, social and environmental impacts.
- .8 Noxious weeds: are invasive plants that have been designated under the *BC Weed Control Act*. This legislation imposes a duty on all land occupiers to control a set list of identified invasive plants. See <a href="https://www.agf.gov.bc.ca/cropprot/noxious.htm">www.agf.gov.bc.ca/cropprot/noxious.htm</a>.
- .9 Riparian area for a steam, the 30 m strip on both sides of the stream, measured from the high water mark, (b) for a ravine less than 60 m wide, a strip on both sides of the steam measured from the high water mark to a point that is 30 m beyond the top of the ravine bank, and for a ravine 60 m wide or greater, a strip on both sides of the stream measured from the high water mark to a point that is 10 m beyond the top of the ravine bank (Riparian Areas Regulation).
- .10 Species at risk: a species that has been defined as "at risk" [of extirpation] by either the federal or provincial government.
- .11 Timing windows: periods when human activities are least likely to cause damage to species and ecosystems.
- .12 Culturally Modified Trees (CMTs): a CMT is a tree that has been altered by aboriginal people as part of their traditional use of the forest. For more information please see *the Handbook for the Identification and Recording of Culturally Modified Trees* prepared by the Archaeology Branch B.C. Ministry of Business, Tourism and Culture

# 1.4 <u>Measurement</u> <u>Procedures</u>

.1 Preparation and implementation of the Environmental Protection Plan (EPP) in accordance with this Section 01 35 43 – Environmental Procedures will not be measured separately for payment and will be considered incidental to work

# 1.5 <u>Regulatory</u> Overview

- .1 Comply with all applicable environmental laws, regulations and requirements of Federal, Provincial, and other regional authorities, and acquire and comply with such permits, approvals and authorizations as may be required.
- .2 Comply with and be subject to those permits and approvals obtained from Departmental Representative to conduct the Work.
- .3 Pay specific attention to the provincial BC Land Use Permit, Water License and Ouarry Permit.
- .4 Pay specific attention to the Migratory Birds Convention Act, as amended in 1994
- .5 Pay specific attention to the provincial BC guidelines under Peace Region Least Risk Timing Windows: Biological Rational (2009).
- .6 Pay specific attention to provincial BC MOE guidelines in Standards and Best Practices for Instream Works (2004).
- .7 Pay specific attention to MOE Develop With Care NE Region 2014
- .8 Where inwater work is conducted, pay specific attention to the B.C. Water Quality Guidelines.

#### 1.6 Submittals

.1 The Contractor is required to prepare an Environmental Protection Plan (EPP) in

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accordance with Section 01 33 00 – Submittal Procedures. The EPP should include all relevant environmental impacts/issues at the site as indicated by the completion of the EPP Checklist. Review of the PWGSC Environmental Effects Evaluation (EEE) will assist in completing this document. Prior to commencing construction activities or delivery of materials to site, submit the EPP (See Appendices for Checklist) for review and approval by the Departmental Representative. The EPP will require the Contractor to carefully think through the entire project, including identifying what activities as works will be occurring, both generally and at specific sites, and by what methods. The Environmental Protection Plan shall be completed by a P.Biol or RPBio, or other qualified professional, and shall, at a minimum include the following:

- .1 The specifics of a detailed monitoring program. This includes details and rational concerning sampling locations, timing, duration, and methods, and identification of the person(s) who will be carrying out the monitoring program.
- .2 The process and protocol for ensuring that supervisors and individual staff employed by the Contractor are very clear on which environmental standards need to be achieved, how they will be achieved, and establishing how the Contractor will ensure that this is successfully occurring.
- .3 Erosion, drainage, and sediment control plan which identifies type and location of erosion and sediment controls to be provided including monitoring and reporting requirements to assure that control measures are in compliance with the requirements of the applicable MOE Approval or Notification for instream work or under MOE guidelines, and all other applicable regulations including the requirements of these specifications.
- .4 Drawings should show locations of proposed temporary excavations or embankments for haul roads, stream crossings, material storage areas, structures, sanitary facilities, and stockpiles of any excess or spoil materials including methods to control runoff and to contain materials on-site.
- .5 Work area plan showing proposed activity in each portion of area and identifying areas of limited use or non-use. Plan to include measures for marking limits of use areas including methods for protection of features to be preserved within authorized work areas.
- .6 Spill Control Plan: including procedures, instructions, and reports to be used in event of unforeseen spill of regulated substance.
- .7 Non-Hazardous solid waste disposal plan identifying methods and locations for solid waste disposal including clearing debris.
- .8 Contaminant prevention plan that: identifies potentially hazardous substances to be used on job site; identifies intended actions to prevent introduction of such materials into air, water, or ground; and details provisions for compliance with Federal, Provincial, and Municipal laws and regulations for storage and handling of these materials.
- .9 Outline the avoidance and mitigate measures which the Contractor will undertake and implement to ensure compliance with the environmental regulations applicable to the project (which may include requirements

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- provided in MOE Approval or Notifications for Instream Work, NWPA Approval for Instream Work etc.) and these contract specifications.
- .10 The procedures for stopping the work and implementing changes to the construction methods should the Contractor not be achieving the environmental requirements as outlined in these specifications.
- .11 The procedures for stopping work should the Contractor encounter archaeological anomalies or human remains.
- 2 All submittals in accordance with Section 01 33 00 Submittal Procedures.

### 1.7 <u>Environmental</u> <u>Effects Evaluation</u>

- .1 Execution of the work is subject to the provisions within the Environmental Effects Evaluation (EEE) completed by a PWGSC Environmental Services Representative for the project. See appendices for a copy of the EEE. NOTE: not all projects are subject to an EEE.
- .2 Pursuant to the expectations of the EEE, EPPs are the next step to achieve the desired results of minimal adverse environmental effect, as the project is constructed.
- .3 Failure to comply with or observe environmental protection measures as identified in these specifications may result in the work being suspended by the Departmental Representative pending rectification of the problems.

## 1.8 Site Access and Parking

- .1 The Contractor shall review both short and long term access requirements with the Departmental Representative, both at the start-up and on an on-going basis. In consultation with the Departmental Representative, the contractor shall formulate an agreement for worker transportation to and from the work site and where workers shall park their private vehicles. Generally, personal vehicles shall be parked at least 10 metres distance from any watercourse.
- .2 The Contractor shall ensure that the environment beyond the work limits is not negatively impacted or damaged by workers' vehicles or construction machinery and shall instruct workers so that the "footprint" of the project is kept within defined boundaries.

### 1.9 <u>Protection of Work</u> <u>Limits</u>

1 The Contractor shall include in the Environmental Protection Plan (EPP) details on the work limits, how these shall be marked and what procedures will be employed to ensure trespass outside these limits does not occur, to the satisfaction of the Departmental Representative.

#### 1.10 Erosion Control

- .1 Erosion control measures that prevent sediment from entering any waterway, water body or wetland in the vicinity of the construction site are a critical element of the project and shall be implemented by the Contractor.
- .2 All applicable on-site sediment control measures shall be constructed and functional prior to initiating activities associated with the construction activities. The Contractor shall prepare an Erosion Control Plan, to be part of the EPP, to the satisfaction of the Departmental Representative.
- .3 The regular monitoring and maintenance of all erosion control measures shall be the responsibility of the Contractor. If the design of the control measures is not functioning effectively they are to be replaced. The Departmental Representative will monitor the Contractor's erosion control performance.
- .4 Erosion control measures must be in compliance with both Federal and

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Provincial legislation. Contractors should be referencing the provincial MOE Standards and Best Practices for Instream Works (2004).

#### 1.11 Pollution Control

- .1 The Contractor shall prevent any deleterious and objectionable materials from entering streams, rivers, wetlands, water bodies or watercourses that would result in damage to aquatic and riparian habitat. Hazardous or toxic products shall be stored no closer than 100 metres to any surface water.
- .2 A Spill Response Plan will be prepared as part of the EPP and shall detail the containment and storage, security, handling, use and disposal of empty containers, surplus product or waste generated in the application of these products, to the satisfaction of the Departmental Representative, and in accordance with all applicable federal and provincial legislation. The EPP shall include a list of products and materials to be used or brought to the construction site that are considered or defined as hazardous or toxic to the environment. Such products include, but are not limited to, waterproofing agents, grout, cement, concrete finishing agents, hot poured rubber membrane materials, asphalt cement and sand blasting agents.
- .3 The containment, storage, security, handling, use, unique spill response requirements and disposal of empty containers, surplus product or waste generated in the use of any hazardous or toxic products shall be in accordance with all applicable federal and provincial legislation. Hazardous products shall be stored no closer than 100 metres from any surface water.
- .4 An impervious berm shall be constructed around fuel tanks and any other potential spill area. The berms shall be capable of holding 110% of tank storage volumes and shall be to the satisfaction of the Departmental Representative. Measures such as collection/drip trays and berms lined with occlusive material such as plastic and a layer of sand, and double lined fuel tanks can prevent spills into the environment.
- .5 The Contractor shall prevent blowing dust and debris by covering and/or providing dust control for temporary roads and on-site work such as rock drilling and blasting by methods that are approved by the Departmental Representative.
- .6 The Contractor shall provide spill kits, to the satisfaction of the Departmental Representative, at re-fuelling, lubrication and repair locations that will be capable of dealing with 110% of the largest potential spill and shall be maintained in good working order on the construction site. The Contractor and site staff shall be informed of the location of the spill response kit(s) and be trained in its use.
- .7 Timely and effective actions shall be taken to stop, contain and clean-up all spills as long as the site is safe to enter. The Departmental Representative shall be notified immediately of any spill as well as the provincial authorities. Basic instructions and phone numbers shall be part of the Contractor's EPP.
- 8 In the event of a major spill, the Contractor shall prioritize the clean up and all other work shall be stopped, where appropriate, and personnel devoted to spill containment and clean up.
- .9 The costs involved in a major spill incident (control, clean up, disposal of contaminants, and site remediation to pre-spill conditions), shall be the responsibility of the Contractor. The site will be inspected to ensure completion to the pre-spill condition to the satisfaction of the Departmental Representative and all relevant inspection agencies (MOE/DFO authorities).

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# 1.12 Equipment Maintenance, Fuelling and Operation

- .1 The Contractor shall ensure that all soil, seeds and any debris attached to construction equipment to be used on the project site shall be removed (e.g. power washing) before delivery to the work site.
- .2 Equipment fuelling sites will be identified by the Contractor to the satisfaction of the Departmental Representative. Except for chain saws, any fuelling closer than 100 metres to any surface water (streams, wetlands, water bodies or watercourses) shall require discussion and prior agreement with the Departmental Representative.
- .3 Diesel and gasoline delivery vehicles, including bulk tankers shall be parked more than 30 metres from any surface water. Gravity fed fuel systems are not allowed. Manual or electric pump delivery systems shall be used. Fuelling personnel shall maintain a presence at with immediate attention to the fuelling operations.
- .4 Mobile fuel containers (e.g. slip tanks, small fuel carboys) shall remain in the service vehicle at all times. Protection and containment of approved fuel storage sites is addressed in 1.11.4 of Pollution Control.
- .5 Equipment use on the project shall be fuelled with E10, and low sulphur diesel fuels where available, and shall conform to local emission requirements. The Contractor is to ensure that unnecessary idling of the vehicles is avoided.
- .6 Oil changes, lubricant changes, greasing and machinery repairs shall be performed at locations satisfactory to the Departmental Representative. Waste lubrication product (e.g. oil filters, used containers, used oil, etc.) shall be secured in spill-proof containers and properly recycled or disposed of at an approved facility, No waste petroleum, lubricant products or related materials are to be discarded, buried or disposed of in borrow pits, turnouts, picnic areas, viewpoints, etc. or anywhere within the work area.
- .7 The Contractor shall ensure that all equipment is inspected daily for fluid/fuel leaks and maintained in good working condition.
- .8 Fuel containers and lubricant products shall be stored only in secure locations to the satisfaction of the Departmental Representative. Fuel tanks or other potential deleterious substance containers shall be secured to ensure they are tamperproof and cannot be drained by vandals when left overnight. Alternatively, the Contractor may hire a security person employed to prevent vandalism.

### 1.13 Operation of Equipment

- .1 Equipment movements shall be restricted to the "footprint" of the construction area. The work limits shall be identified by stake and ribbon or other methods to the satisfaction of the Departmental Representative. No machinery will enter, work in or cross over streams, rivers, wetlands, water bodies or watercourse, nor damage aquatic and riparian habitat or trees and plant communities. Where construction activities require working close to surface water, the Contractor is required to describe measures to be employed to ensure fugitive materials (e.g. rocks, soil, branches) and especially deleterious substances (e.g. chemicals) does not enter any surface water areas.
- .2 The Contractor shall instruct workers to prevent pushing, placement, raveling, storage or stockpiling of any materials (e.g. slash, rock, fill or top soils) in the trees bordering the right-of-way or into surface water.
- .3 When, in the opinion of PWGSC, negligence on the part of the Contractor results

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in damage or destruction of vegetation, or other environmental or aesthetic features beyond the designated work area, the Contractor shall be responsible, at his or her expense, for complete restoration including the replacement of trees, shrubs, topsoil, grass, etc. to the satisfaction of the Departmental Representative.

- .4 Restrict vehicle movements to the work limits.
- .5 Workers vehicles are to remain within the construction footprint.

#### 1.14 <u>Managing Invasive</u> Plant Vegetation

- .1 Keep equipment clean and avoid parking, turning around or staging equipment in known invasive species infested areas, or mow prior to use.
- .2 Wash equipment prior to mobilization to site.
- .3 Minimize unnecessary disturbance of roadside aggregates or soil, and retain desirable roadside vegetation whenever possible.
- .4 Where possible, begin mowing or brushing in "invasive plant free" areas and end in infested areas.
- .5 Where possible, use only clean fill material from an "invasive plant free" source.
- .6 Whenever possible, re-seed with grass mixtures that are free of weeds, locally adapted, non-invasive, and quick to establish. Spread seed in the early spring or late fall to ensure successful establishment.

### 1.15 <u>Fire Prevention</u> and Control

- .1 A fire extinguisher shall be carried and available for use on each machine and at locations within the quarry in the event of fire. Basic firefighting equipment recommended (e.g. a water truck; minimum 2276 litres with 150m of fire hose and a pump capable of producing 172.3 kPa water pressure at the nozzle, three shovels, two Pulaski's, and two five gallon backpack pumps) shall be maintained at the construction site at a location known and easily accessible to all Contractors' staff. Contactor's staff shall receive basic training in early response to wildfire events during the "environmental briefing".
- .2 Construction equipment shall be operated in a manner and with all original manufacturers' safety devices to prevent ignition of flammable materials in the area.
- .3 Care shall be taken while smoking on the construction site to ensure that the accidental ignition of any flammable material is prevented.
- .4 In case of fire, the Contractor or worker shall take immediate action to extinguish the fire provided it is safe to do so. The Departmental Representative shall be notified of any fire immediately as well as the applicable Provincial Authorities. Basic instruction and phone numbers will be provided on-site by the Contractor and will be discussed in the project start-up meeting.
- .5 Fires or burning of waste materials is not permitted.
- .6 Where fires or burning is permitted, prevent staining or smoke damage to structures, materials or vegetation which is to be preserved. Restore, clean and return to new condition stained or damaged Work.
- .7 Provide supervision, attendance and fire protection measures as directed.
- .8 Obtain all required permits from the province.

#### 1.16 Wildlife

.1 Avoid or terminate activities on site that attract or disturb wildlife and vacate the area and stay away from bears, cougars, wolves, elk, buffalo or moose that display aggressive behavior or persistent intrusion. Extra care to control materials that might attract wildlife (e.g. lunches and food scraps) must be

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- exercised at all times.
- 2 Notify the Departmental Representative immediately about dens, litters, nests. Carcasses (road kills), bear activity or encounters on or around the site or crew accommodations. Other wildlife related encounters are to be reported within 24 hours.

#### 1.18 <u>Relics and</u> <u>Antiquities</u>

- .1 Artifacts, relics, antiquities, and items of historical interest such as cornerstones, commemorative plaques, inscribed tablets and any objects found on the work site that may be considered artifacts shall be reported to the Departmental Representative immediately. The Contractor and workers shall wait for instruction before proceeding with their work.
- .2 All historical or archaeological objects found on the Project site are protected under Federal and Provincial Acts and regulations. The Contractor and workers shall protect any articles found and request direction from the Departmental Representative.
- 3 Human remains must be reported immediately to the local RCMP.

## 1.19 Waste Materials Storage and Removal

- .1 The Contractor and workers shall dispose of hazardous wastes in conformance with the applicable federal and provincial regulations and should be part of the EPP.
- .2 All wastes originating from construction, trade, hazardous and domestic sources, shall not be mixed, but will be kept separate.
- .3 Construction, trade, hazardous waste and domestic waste materials shall not be burned, buried, or discarded at the construction site. These wastes shall be contained and removed in a timely and approved manner by the Contractor and workers, and disposed of at an appropriate waste landfill site located outside the work area.
- .4 A concerted effort shall be made by the Contractor and workers to reduce, reuse and recycle materials where possible.
- .5 Sanitary facilities, such as portable container toilets, shall be provided by the Contractor and maintained in a clean condition.

#### 1.20 <u>Wastewater</u> <u>Discharge Criteria</u>

- .1 Wash water, melt water collection, rinse water resulting from the cleaning of fuel tanks and pipelines, contaminated groundwater, and/or any other liquid effluent stream will be released onto the ground at a location that is a minimum of 30 metres from natural drainage courses and 100 metres from fish bearing waters, and will conform to the discharge requirements set out in the provincial Water Act Permit.
- .2 Contractor must obtain approval from the provincial Water Act Officer prior to discharging any treated wastewater.

### 1.21 <u>Camp Wastewater</u> <u>Discharge Criteria</u>

- .1 Camp wastewater will be released onto the ground at a location that is a minimum of 30 metres from natural drainage courses and 100 metres from fish bearing waters and conform to the discharge requirements set out in the provincial Water Act Permit.
- .2 If unable to meet the discharge criteria, provide additional storage and/or treatment necessary to meet criteria prior to discharge.
- .3 Treat all camp wastewater to conform to the discharge requirements set out in the

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#### Water Act Permit.

- .4 If unable to meet the discharge criteria, provide additional storage and/or treatment necessary to meet criteria prior to discharge.
- .5 No direct discharge is allowed to wetland or surface waters.
- .6 Contractor must obtain approval from the Water Act Officer prior to discharging treated wastewater.

#### 1.22 Drainage

- .1 Provide temporary drainage and pumping as necessary to keep excavations and site free from water. Management of drainage should be part of the EPP.
- .2 Do not pump water containing suspended materials into waterways, sewer or drainage systems.
- .3 Control disposal or runoff of water containing suspended materials or other harmful substances in accordance with local authority requirements such as the provincial Water Act.
- .4 Where required, water quality should be tested for potential contaminants (turbidity) and the results compared to the B.C. Water quality Guidelines for aquatic life.
- .5 Provide an erosion and sediment control plan that identifies type and location of erosion and sediment controls to be provided. Plan to include monitoring and reporting requirements to assure that control measures are in compliance with erosion and sediment control plan, Federal, Provincial, and Municipal laws and regulations.
- .6 Submit an Erosion, Sediment and Drainage Control Plan to Departmental Representative for review and approval prior to commencing Work in fisheries sensitive areas or in areas that may affect fisheries sensitive areas and specifically address the protection of water bodies, water courses, and the following:
  - .1 Details of grading Work to prevent surface drainage into or out of Work
  - .2 Details of erosion control works and materials to be used, including the deployment of silt fencing, floating silt curtains and containment booms during construction and excavation activities.
  - .3 Work Schedule including the sequence and duration of all related Work activities.
  - .4 The treatment of site runoff to prevent siltation of watercourses.
  - .5 Dewatering procedures for excavated materials including silt removal procedures prior to discharge.
  - .6 Stabilizing procedures during excavation.
  - .7 Maintenance of filters and sedimentation traps.
- .7 Any dewatering activities will be released onto the ground at a location that is a minimum of 30 metres from natural drainage courses and 100 metres from fish bearing waters.
- .8 Have on hand sufficient pumping equipment, machinery, and tankage in good working condition for ordinary emergencies, including power outage, and competent workers for operation of pumping equipment.

### 1.23 <u>Site Clearing and</u> Plant Protection

- .1 Protect trees and plants on site and adjacent properties where indicated.
- .2 Wrap in burlap, trees and shrubs adjacent to construction Work, storage areas

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- and trucking lanes, and encase with protective wood framework from grade level to height of 2 m.
- .3 Protect roots of designated trees to dripline during excavation and site grading to prevent disturbance or damage. Avoid unnecessary traffic, dumping and storage of materials over root zones.
- .4 Minimize stripping of topsoil and vegetation.
- .5 Restrict tree removal to areas indicated or designated by Departmental Representative.
- .6 The Contractor should be aware that B.C. has culturally modified trees (CMTs) that are protected under the Heritage Act. If a CMT is encountered, stop work immediately and contact the Departmental Representative.

#### 1.24 Blasting

- .1 The Departmental Representative will identify a magazine location for explosives should a factory site or `ready to use` explosive site be required.
- .2 The sweep of the blast area shall include looking for wildlife that may be in the area. If any are found, they shall be hazed out of the area by the Environmental Monitoring personnel.
- .3 The Contractor shall ensure that all work activities meet or exceed the standards outlined in DFO's "Guidelines for the Use of Explosives In or Near Canadian Fisheries Waters"; Canadian Technical Report of Fisheries and Aquatic Sciences 2107, 1998.
- .4 The Contractor shall, whenever explosives are used, use the Provincial and Workers' Compensation Laws and Regulations, and all respective Agencies Having Jurisdiction over them, such as DFO.
- .5 Steps shall be taken to minimize fly-rock and dust. Vegetation outside of the designated area shall not be damaged or destroyed.
- .6 In order to stabilize slopes of the cut, these shall be scaled of all loose material. Ditches shall be formed and cleaned upon the completion of the blasting, and the natural drainage shall be restored as specified by the Contract or as directed by the Departmental Representative.
- .7 The Contractor shall describe the proposed type and quantities of explosives to be used on the project, to the satisfaction of the Departmental Representative. Some blasting products such as those very high in nitrogen, may have some limitations imposed for environmental protection purposes.

# 1.25 Environmental Protection Supplies

- .1 Comply with federal and provincial fisheries and environmental protection legislation, including preventing the loss or destruction of fish habitat, and minimizing the impact of sedimentation, siltation or otherwise causing a degradation in water quality.
- .2 Provide a minimum of 30 m or more and as required of polypropylene silt fence (typical height of 0.9 m) and the necessary stakes for installation. This will be used as necessary to prevent sediment transport into water bodies.
- .3 Provide a minimum of 50 lineal metres or more and as required of 200 mm diameter hydrophobic, sorbent booms. This will be used as necessary to prevent the migration of hydrocarbons.
- .4 Supply, transport, install and maintain erosion, sediment and drainage controls necessary to complete the Work in accordance with the requirements of Departmental Representative.

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- .5 At the completion of construction, dispose of used silt fence off-site as non-Hazardous Waste. Dispose of used absorbent boom in accordance with Section 02 61 33 Hazardous Waste Material.
- .6 Unused Erosion, Sediment and Drainage Control supplies will remain the property of Departmental Representative until the completion of the Contract.
- .7 Provide inventory of environmental protection supplies prior to mobilization.

#### 1.26 Notification

- .1 Departmental Representative will notify Contractor in writing of observed noncompliance with Federal, Provincial or Municipal environmental laws or regulations, permits, etc.
- .2 Contractor: after receipt of such notice, shall inform Departmental Representative of proposed corrective action and take such action for approval by Departmental Representative.
- .3 Departmental Representative will issue stop order of Work until satisfactory corrective action has been taken.
- .4 No time extensions granted or equitable adjustments allowed to Contractor for such suspensions.

## 1.27 <u>Environmental</u> <u>Monitoring</u>

- .1 At a minimum the environmental monitoring shall be completed by P.Biol, RPBio, or Qualified Environmental Professional (QEP). If a QEP completes the monitoring, the QEP must work under the direction of the P.Biol or RPBio who completes the Environmental Protection Plan.
- .2 The monitoring program must be anticipatory and responsive to construction practices or environmental changes, reflecting the site specific conditions, level of sensitivity of the receiving environment, potential adverse effects, and level of environmental risk. Submitted documents regarding the proposed monitoring program should clearly identify how monitoring will adhere to this approach.
- .3 The monitoring program shall satisfy all regulatory requirements and terms of these specifications. The onus is on the Contractor to monitor and ensure compliance, to identify arising problems, and to subsequently take responsibility and all necessary measures in response.

#### PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.1 Not Used

.1 Not Used.

#### PART 3 EXECUTION

3.1 Not Used

.1 Not Used.

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- 1.1 Installation and Removal .1 Provide construction facilities in order to execute work expeditiously. .2 Remove from site all such work after use.
- 1.2 Scaffolding .1 Provide and maintain scaffolding, ramps, ladders, swing staging, platforms and temporary stairs as necessary to carry out work.
- .1 Provision of Construction Facilities shall be considered incidental to Procedures the work and so no separate payment shall be provided.
- .1 Provide, operate and maintain hoists and cranes required for moving 1.4 Hoisting of workers, materials and equipment. Make financial arrangements with subcontractors for use thereof.
  - .2 Hoists and cranes shall be operated by qualified operator.
- .1 Confine work and operations of employees by Contract Documents. Do not unreasonably encumber premises with products.
  - .2 Do not load or permit to load any part of work with a weight or force that will endanger the work.
- .1 Provide and maintain, in a clean and orderly condition, lockable Materials Storage weatherproof sheds for storage of tools, equipment and materials.
  - .2 Locate materials not required to be stored in weatherproof sheds on site in a manner to cause least interference with work activities.
- 1.7 Sanitary Facilities .1 Provide sanitary facilities for work force in accordance with governing regulations and ordinances.
  - .2 Post notices and take such precautions as required by local health authorities. Keep area and premises in sanitary condition.
- 1.8 Construction Signage .1 Provide and erect, within two weeks of signing contract, a project identification site sign in a location designated by Departmental Representative. Supply, installation, maintenance, removal and all other incidental costs associated with the project identification site sign are included in the mobilization and demobilization lump sum items in the Schedule of Quantities and Unit Prices.
  - .2 Provide project identification site sign comprising foundation, framing, and one 1200 x 2400 mm signboards as detailed and as described below.
    - Framework and battens: SPF, pressure treated minimum 89 x
    - Signboard: 19mm Medium Density Overlaid Douglas Fir Plywood to CSA 0121.
    - Paint: alkyd enamel to CAN/CGSB-1.59 over exterior alkyd primer to CGSB 1-GP-189.
    - .4 Fasteners: hot-dip galvanized steel nails and carriage bolts.

### 1.3 Measurement

#### 1.5 Site Storage/Loading

### 1.6 Equipment, Tool and

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- .5 Vinyl sign face: printed project identification, self adhesive, vinyl film overlay supplied by Departmental Representative.
- .3 Locate project identification sign as directed by Departmental Representative.
- .4 Direct requests for approval to erect a Consultant/Contractor signboard to Departmental Representative. For consideration, general appearance of Consultant/Contractor signboard must conform to project identification site sign. Wording shall be in both official languages.
- .5 Signs and notices for safety and instructions shall be in both official languages. Graphic symbols shall conform to CAN3-Z321.
- .6 Maintain approved signs and notices in good condition for duration of project, and dispose of off site on completion of project or earlier if directed by Departmental Representative.

#### **PART 2 PRODUCTS**

2.1 Not Used

.1 Not used.

#### PART 3 EXECUTION

3.1 Not Used

.1 Not used.

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1.1 Description

- .1 This section specifies requirements of regulatory agencies related to establishment and removal of construction camps.
- 1.2 <u>Requirements of</u>
  <u>Regulatory Agencies</u>
- .1 Camp and service area locations are subject to approval of Departmental Representative and are to be established and operated in accordance with local regulations governing operations of field camps.
- .2 Prior to installation of camp and services, submit plan of layout to Departmental Representative for approval.
- .3 Apply to authority having jurisdiction for authorization for use of water and disposal of domestic sewage wastes. Obtain authorization prior to establishing camp.
- .4 Comply with Environment Regulations
- 1.3 <u>Measurement for</u>
  Payment
- .1 Establishment of the Construction Camp shall be considered incidental to the work and not separate payment provided.

#### PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.1 Not Used

.1 Not used.

#### PART 3 EXECUTION

- 3.1 Mobilization
- .1 Mobilize equipment, camp, personnel and material. Establish temporary buildings, shops, offices and facilities. Obtain necessary license and approvals.
- .2 Upon vacating camp and services area sites, clean up and leave in condition satisfactory to Departmental Representative.
- 3.2 Maintenance
- .1 Maintain camps in neat and tidy condition.
- .2 No separate payment for camp clean up.

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#### 1.1 Section Includes

- .1 Related Sections.
- .2 Measurement Procedures.
- .3 Qualification of Surveyors.
- .4 Survey Reference Points.
- .5 Survey Requirements.
- .6 Records.
- .7 Submittals.

#### 1.2 Related Sections

- .1 Section 01 11 00 Summary of Work.
- .2 Section 01 33 00 Submittal Procedures.

## 1.3 <u>Measurement</u> <u>Procedures</u>

.1 Cost for providing Surveys and Site preparation will be paid for under the unit price for "Provide Independent Survey Crew".

#### 1.4 Qualifications of Surveyor

.1 A qualified registered surveyor licensed to practise in British Columbia, acceptable to the Departmental Representative, shall perform the required surveying for the Contractor.

#### 1.5 <u>Survey Reference</u> Points

- .1 Locate, confirm and protect control points prior to starting site work.

  Preserve permanent reference points during construction.
- .2 Make no changes or relocations without prior written notice to Departmental Representative.
- .3 Report to Departmental Representative when reference point is lost or destroyed, or requires relocation because of necessary changes in grades or locations.
- .4 Require surveyor to replace control points in accordance with original survey control.

#### 1.6 Survey Requirements

- 1. Establish centre line and working points based on control points provided.
- 2. Stake for work to be performed by the Contractor.
- 3. Provide "As Built" surveys of the Work including x-sections of the finished stockpiles, embankments, and the ROW excavation.
- 4. The Departmental Representative may elect to verify surveys. Verification of the survey by the Departmental Representative does not abdicate the Contractor's responsibility for the correctness and accuracy of the survey.
- 5. Contractor shall complete all measurement surveys for payment and submit cross sections and other requirements for payment by the end of the month in which they were taken.

#### 1.7 Records

- 1. Maintain a complete, accurate log of control and survey work as it progresses.
- 2. Record locations of maintained, re-routed and abandoned service lines.

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#### 1.8 Submittals

- 1. Submit name and address of Surveyor to Departmental Representative.
- 2. The Departmental Representative requires that the raw survey data files and documentation are submitted to verify accuracy of field survey and engineering work.
- 3. Submit certificate signed by Surveyor certifying and noting those elevations and locations of completed Work that conform and do not conform to Contract Documents.

#### PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.1 Not Used

.1 Not Used.

#### **PART 3 EXECUTION**

3.1 Not Used

.1 Not Used

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- 1.1 Section Includes
- .1 Administrative procedures preceding preliminary and final inspections of work.
- 1.2 <u>Inspection and</u> <u>Declaration</u>
- .1 Contractor's Inspection: Contractor and all subcontractors shall conduct an inspection of work, identify deficiencies and defects, and repair as required to conform to Contract Documents.
  - .1 Notify Departmental Representative in writing of satisfactory completion of Contractor's Inspection and that corrections have been made.
  - .2 Request Departmental Representative's Inspection.
- .2 Departmental Representative's Inspection: Departmental Representative and Contractor will perform inspection of work to identify obvious defects or deficiencies. Contractor shall correct work accordingly.
- .3 Completion: submit written certificate that following have been performed:
  - .1 Work has been completed and inspected for compliance with Contract Documents.
  - .2 Defects have been corrected and deficiencies have been completed.
  - .3 Equipment and systems have been tested, adjusted and balanced and are fully operational.
  - .4 Operations of systems have been demonstrated to Owner's personnel.
  - .5 Work is complete and ready for Final Inspection.
- .4 Final Inspection: when items noted above are completed, request final inspection of work by Owner, Departmental Representative and Contractor. If work is deemed incomplete by Owner and Departmental Representative, complete outstanding items and request re-inspection.
- 1.3 Measure for Payment
- .1 No separate payment for Closeout Procedures.

#### PART 2 PRODUCTS

- 2.1 Not Used
- .1 Not used.

#### PART 3 EXECUTION

- 3.1 Not Used
- .1 Not used.

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- 1.1 Related Sections
- .1 Section 01 33 00 Submittal Procedures
- .2 Section 01 35 43 Environmental Procedures
- 1.2 References
- .1 Export and Import of Hazardous Waste Regulations (EIHW Regulations), SOR/92637.
- .2 National Fire Code of Canada 1995.
- .3 Transportation of Dangerous Goods Act (TDG Act) 1992, (T19.01).
- .4 Transportation of Dangerous Goods Regulations (TDGR), (SOR/8577, SOR/85585, SOR/85609, SOR/86526).
- 1.3 <u>Definitions</u>
- .1 Dangerous Goods: Product, substance, or organism that specifically listed or meets the hazard criteria established in Transportation of Dangerous Goods Regulations.
- .2 Hazardous Material: Product, substance, or organism that is used for its original purpose; and that is either dangerous goods or a material that may cause adverse impact to the environment or adversely affect health of persons, animals, or plant life when released into the environment.
- .3 Hazardous Waste: Any hazardous material that is no longer used for its original purpose and that is intended for recycling, treatment or disposal.
- .4 Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (WHMIS): A Canada-wide system designed to give employers and workers information about hazardous materials used in the workplace. Under WHMIS, information on hazardous materials is to be provided on container labels, material safety data sheets (MSDS), and worker education programs. WHMIS is put into effect by a combination of federal and provincial laws.
- 1.4 Submittals
- .1 Submit product data in accordance with Section 01 33 00 Submittal Procedures.
- .2 Submit to Departmental Representative current Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) for each hazardous material required prior to bringing hazardous material on site.
- .3 Submit hazardous materials management plan to Departmental Representative that identifies all hazardous materials, their use, their location, personal protective equipment requirements, and disposal arrangements.
- 1.5 Storage and Handling
- .1 Coordinate storage of hazardous materials with Departmental Representative and abide by internal requirements for labelling and storage of materials and wastes.
- .2 Store and handle hazardous materials and wastes in accordance with applicable federal and provincial laws, regulations, codes, and guidelines.
- .3 Store and handle flammable and combustible materials in accordance

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- with current National Fire Code of Canada requirements.
- .4 Observe smoking regulations at all times. Smoking is prohibited in any area where hazardous materials are stored, used, or handled.
- .5 Abide by the following storage requirements for quantities of hazardous materials and wastes in excess of 5 kg for solids, and 5 litres for liquids:
  - .1 Store hazardous materials and wastes in closed and sealed containers that are in good condition.
  - 2 Label containers of hazardous materials and wastes in accordance with WHMIS.
  - .3 Store hazardous materials and wastes in containers compatible with that material or waste.
  - .4 Segregate incompatible materials and wastes.
  - .5 Ensure that different hazardous materials or hazardous wastes are not mixed.
  - .6 Store hazardous materials and wastes in a secure storage area with controlled access.
  - .7 Maintain a clear egress from storage area.
  - .8 Store hazardous materials and wastes in a manner and location that shall prevent them from spilling into the environment.
  - .9 Have appropriate emergency spill response equipment available near the storage area, including personal protective equipment.
  - .10 Maintain an inventory of hazardous materials and wastes, including product name, quantity, and date when storage began.
- .6 Ensure personnel have been trained in accordance with Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (WHMIS) requirements.
- .7 Report spills or accidents immediately to Departmental Representative and the ESO. Submit a written spill report to Departmental Representative within 24 hours of incident.

#### 1.6 Transportation

- .1 Transport hazardous materials and wastes in accordance with federal Transportation of Dangerous Goods Act, Transportation of Dangerous Goods Regulations, and applicable provincial regulations.
- .2 If exporting hazardous waste to another country, ensure compliance with federal Export and Import of Hazardous Waste Regulations.
- .3 If hazardous waste is generated on site:
  - .1 Coordinate transportation and disposal with Departmental Representative.
  - .2 Ensure compliance with applicable provincial laws and regulations for generators of hazardous waste.
  - .3 Use only a licensed carrier authorized by provincial authorities to accept subject material.
  - .4 Prior to shipping material, obtain written notice from intended hazardous waste treatment or disposal facility that it will accept material and that it is licensed to accept this material.
  - .5 Label containers with legible, visible safety marks as

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- prescribed by federal and provincial regulations.
- .6 Ensure that only trained personnel handle, offer for transport, or transport dangerous goods.
- .7 Provide a photocopy of all shipping documents and waste manifests to Departmental Representative.
- .8 Track receipt of completed manifest from consignee after shipping dangerous goods. Provide a photocopy of completed manifest to Departmental Representative.
- .9 Report any discharge, emission, or escape of hazardous materials immediately to the Departmental Representative and appropriate provincial authority. Take reasonable measures to control release.

#### **PART 2 PRODUCTS**

2.1 Materials

- .1 Only bring on site the quantity of hazardous materials required to perform work.
- .2 Maintain MSDS in proximity to where the materials are being used. Communicate this location to personnel who may have contact with hazardous materials.

#### PART 3 EXECUTION

3.1 Disposal

- .1 Dispose of hazardous waste materials in accordance with applicable Federal and Provincial acts, regulations and guidelines.
- .2 Recycle hazardous wastes for which there is an approved, cost effective recycling process available.
- .3 Send hazardous wastes only to authorized hazardous waste disposal treatment facilities.
- .4 Burning, diluting, or mixing hazardous wastes for purpose of disposal is prohibited.
- .5 Disposal of hazardous materials in waterways, storm or sanitary sewers, or in municipal solid waste landfills is prohibited.
- .6 Dispose of hazardous wastes in a timely fashion in accordance with applicable provincial regulations.

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#### PART 1 GENERAL

### 1.1 Measurement Procedures

- .1 Embankment and Stockpile quantities: to be measured in cubic metres calculated from cross sections taken at the point of placement. Initial cross sections will be taken prior to any embankment or stockpile placement. Prices for Embankment and Stockpile to include cost of original and final surveys and quantity calculations.
- .2 Quantities shall be calculated from third-party surveys provided by the Contractor.
- .3 Provide original and final cross section of Embankment and Stockpile stockpiles by certified Professional Engineering firm at no separate cost
- .4 Overhaul will not be paid separately, but considered incidental to the unit prices bid.
- .5 No separate payment for:
  - .1 Excavating and/or placement of material unnecessarily beyond lines established, with exception of unavoidable slide material. Slide material not to be measured when such slides are attributable to Contractor's negligence.
  - .2 Removing and disposing of roots, stumps and other materials excavated during waste operation.
  - .3 Finishing and shaping.
  - .4 Placing of excavated material.
  - .5 As built survey of the excavated area.

#### 1.2 Definitions

- .1 Rock Excavation: material from solid masses of igneous, sedimentary, or metamorphic rock which, prior to removal, was integral with parent mass. Material that cannot be ripped, with reasonable effort from Caterpillar D9L or equivalent, to be considered integral with parent mass.
- .2 Stripping Excavation: excavation of organic material covering original ground.
- .3 Common Excavation: excavation of materials that are not Rock Excavation or Stripping Excavation.
- .4 Embankment: material derived from usable excavation and placed above original ground or stripped surface up to top or sub grade.
- .5 Waste Material: material unsuitable for embankment, embankment foundation or material surplus to requirements.
- .6 Borrow Material: material obtained from areas outside right-of-way and required for construction of embankments or for other portions of work. Borrow material is paid for as Common Excavation.
- .7 Topsoil: material capable of supporting good vegetation growth and suitable for use in top dressing, landscaping and seeding.
- .8 Road Reclamation: excavation of existing road bed that shall be treated as Common Excavation.

#### 1.3 <u>Requirements of</u> Regulatory Agencies

.1 Adhere to regulations of authority having jurisdiction if blasting is required.

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.2 Adhere to Provincial and Federal requirements if potentially toxic materials are involved.

#### PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.1 Not Used

.1 Not used.

#### PART 3 EXECUTION

3.1 Stripping of Topsoil

- .1 Commence topsoil stripping of areas as indicated after brush, weeds and grasses have been removed from these areas.
- .2 Strip topsoil to depths as indicated or as necessary to remove all organic material. Do not mix topsoil with subsoil.
- .3 Stockpile in locations in accordance with the Contract Documents.
- .4 Dispose of unused topsoil in accordance with Contract Documents or as directed by the Departmental Representative.

