ITEM 606 - GUARDRAIL, TYPE 5

THE LOCATION OF GUARDRAIL RUNS ARE SUBJECT TO ADJUSTMENTS TO ASSURE THAT THE PLANNED INSTALLATIONS WILL AFFORD MAXIMUM PROTECTION FOR TRAFFIC. THE INTENT IS TO UPGRADE AND REPLACE GUARDRAIL, GENERALLY AT EXISTING LOCATIONS. LOG POINTS OF THE PROPOSED END TREATMENTS ARE APPROXIMATE. THE ENGINEER SHALL BE SATISFIED THAT ALL INSTALLATIONS WILL AFFORD MAXIMUM PROTECTION FOR TRAFFIC.

NO HAZARD SHALL BE LEFT UNPROTECTED EXCEPT FOR THE ACTUAL TIME NECESSARY TO REMOVE THE EXISTING GUARDRAIL, PREPARE THE SITE, AND INSTALL NEW GUARDRAIL IN A CONTINUOUS OPERATION. THE REMOVAL OF ALL GUARDRAIL SHALL BE AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER. NO GUARDRAIL SHALL BE REMOVED UNTIL THE REPLACEMENT MATERIAL IS ON THE SITE AND READY FOR INSTALLATION. INSTALLATION OF THE NEW RAIL SHALL BEGIN IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE REMOVAL OPERATION HAS TAKEN PLACE. THE MAXIMUM GAP LENGTH IN ANY RAIL RUN SHALL BE 50 FEET. NO GAPS SHALL BE LEFT OPEN AT THE END OF THE WORK PERIOD. BARRELS MAY NOT BE SUBSTITUTED FOR GUARDRAIL. FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH THESE REQUIREMENTS SHALL BE DEEMED SUFFICIENT CAUSE TO ORDER WORK SUSPENDED ON THIS PROJECT UNTIL SUCH TIME THAT THE ENGINEER IS ASSURED COMPLIANCE.

CONNECTION BETWEEN EXISTING AND PROPOSED GUARDRAIL

WHEN IT IS NECESSARY TO SPLICE PROPOSED GUARDRAIL TO EXISTING GUARDRAIL, ONLY THE EXISTING GUARDRAIL SHALL BE CUT, DRILLED, OR PUNCHED. THE CONNECTION SHALL BE MADE USING A "W-BEAM RAIL SPLICE" AS SHOWN ON STANDARD CONSTRUCTION DRAWING GR-I.IM. PAYMENT SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE CONTRACT PRICE FOR THE RESPECTIVE GUARDRAIL ITEMS.

ITEM 254 - PATCHING PLANED SURFACE

THE FOLLOWING QUANTITIES ARE FOR USE AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER FOR THE PURPOSE OF PATCHING PLANED SURFACE:

ITEM 254 - PATCHING PLANED SURFACE 3,700 SQ. YD.

PAVING UNDER GUARDRAIL

THIS OPERATION SHALL INCLUDE PREPARATION OF THE GRADED SHOULDER USING ITEM 203, LINEAR GRADING AND PAVING UNDER GUARDRAIL USING ITEM 448 ASPHALT CONCRETE INTERMEDIATE COURSE, TYPE I, PG64-22, (UNDER GUARDRAIL).

ITEM 203, LINEAR GRADING SHALL CONSIST OF EXCAVATING TOPSOIL AND PLACING MATERIAL AS SPECIFIED IN THE PLANS AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE FOLLOWING:

ALL COLLECTED DEBRIS AND TOPSOIL, INCLUDING RHIZOMES, ROOTS AND OTHER VEGETATIVE PLANT MATERIAL SHALL BE REMOVED AND DISPOSED OF AS SPECIFIED IN 203.05.

THE REMOVED MATERIAL SHALL BE REPLACED WITH MATERIAL AS DETAILED ON THE TYPICAL SECTIONS OR AS APPROVED BY THE ENGINEER.

HERBICIDE SHALL BE TREFLAN E.C., SPIKE OR AN APPROVED EQUAL AND SHALL BE APPLIED TO THE PREPARED AREA AFTER FINAL LEVELING AND GRADING HAS BEEN COMPLETED. THE APPLICATION SHALL BE JUST PRIOR TO PAVING AND SHALL STRICTLY ADHERE TO THE MANUFACTURER'S INSTRUCTIONS. EACH SUCCESSFUL BIDDER MUST BE LICENSED BY THE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AS A COMMERCIAL APPLICATOR AND ALL PERSONS INVOLVED IN THE ACTUAL SPRAYING SHALL BE LICENSED AS COMMERCIAL OPERATORS IN THE APPROPRIATE SPRAY CATEGORY. APPROPRIATE LICENSES SHALL BE SUBMITTED TO THE PROJECT SUPERVISOR, PRIOR TO COMMENCING WORK FOR VERIFICATION.

ALL EQUIPMENT, MATERIALS, AND LABOR REQUIRED TO PERFORM THE WORK OUTLINED ABOVE SHALL BE INCLUDED FOR PAYMENT UNDER ITEM 203 - LINEAR GRADING.

PAVING UNDER GUARDRAIL SHALL CONSIST OF PLACING ITEM 448 TO THE DEPTH SPECIFIED USING ONE OF THE FOLLOWING METHODS:

METHOD A:

- I) SET GUARDRAIL POSTS.
- 2) PLACE ITEM 448.

METHOD B:

- I) PLACE ITEM 448.
- 2) BORE ASPHALT AT POST LOCATIONS (MAY BE OMITTED IF STEEL POSTS ARE USED).
- 3) SET GUARDRAIL POST.
- 4) PATCH AROUND POSTS. THE MATERIALS USED FOR PATCHING SHALL BE A BITUMINOUS CONCRETE APPROVED BY THE ENGINEER. PATCHING AREAS SHALL BE COMPACTED USING EITHER HAND OR MECHANICAL METHODS. FINISHED SURFACES SHALL BE SMOOTH AND SLOPED TO DRAIN AWAY FROM THE POSTS.

ALL EQUIPMENT, MATERIALS AND LABOR REQUIRED TO PERFORM THIS WORK OUTLINED ABOVE, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF SETTING GUARDRAIL POSTS, SHALL BE INCLUDED FOR PAYMENT UNDER ITEM 448 ASPHALT CONCRETE INTERMEDIATE COURSE, TYPE I, PG64-22 (UNDER GUARDRAIL).