

ITEM 614 – MAINTAINING TRAFFIC (GENERAL) (TEM 642-2)

A MINIMUM OF ONE LANE OF TRAFFIC IN EACH DIRECTION SHALL BE MAINTAINED AT ALL TIMES, EXCEPT FOR A PERIOD NOT TO EXCEED 60 CONSECUTIVE CALENDAR DAYS, WHEN THROUGH TRAFFIC MAY BE DETOURED AS SHOWN ON THE DETOUR PLAN SHEET. A DISINCENTIVE SHALL BE ASSESSED IN THE AMOUNT OF \$10,000 PER DAY FOR EACH CALENDAR DAY THE ROADWAY REMAINS CLOSED TO TRAFFIC BEYOND THE SPECIFIED LIMIT.

SUBMIT, IN WRITING, A SCHEDULE OF OPERATIONS TO THE ENGINEER AND RECEIVE APPROVAL BEFORE WORK IS STARTED ON THE PROJECT. PRIOR TO BEGINNING WORK, COORDINATE THE MAINTENANCE OF TRAFFIC OPERATIONS WITH THE LOCAL STATE HIGHWAY PATROL.

ALL WORK AND TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH C&MS 614 AND OTHER APPLICABLE PORTIONS OF THE SPECIFICATIONS, AS WELL AS THE OHIO MANUAL OF UNIFORM TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES CURRENT EDITION WITH THE LATEST REVISIONS. PAYMENT FOR ALL LABOR, EQUIPMENT AND MATERIALS SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE LUMP SUM CONTRACT PRICE FOR ITEM 614, MAINTAINING TRAFFIC, UNLESS SEPARATELY ITEMIZED IN THE PLAN.

BUTT JOINTS

DO NOT CUT BUTT JOINTS AND ALLOW THEM TO BE LEFT OPEN TO TRAFFIC. FILL THE BUTT JOINTS WITH A TEMPORARY ASPHALT CONCRETE WEDGE USING ITEM 614 ASPHALT CONCRETE FOR MAINTAINING TRAFFIC IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE TAPER RATES SET FORTH IN SCD BP-3.1.

ERECT AND MAINTAIN CONSTRUCTION "BUMP" (W8-1-36) AND "ADVISORY SPEED" (W13-1-24) SIGNS DURING THE PERIOD THE BUTT JOINT IS LEFT OPEN. PAYMENT FOR THESE SIGNS WILL BE MADE UNDER THE LUMP SUM BID PRICE FOR ITEM 614 MAINTAINING TRAFFIC.

ITEM 614 – DETOUR SIGNING

THE FOLLOWING QUANTITY IS INCLUDED IN THE GENERAL SUMMARY FOR THE CONTRACTOR TO PROVIDE THE DETOUR SIGNING AS SHOWN AS PER C&MS 614.06(B):

ITEM 614 – DETOUR SIGNING LUMP

ITEM 614 – MAINTAINING TRAFFIC (PREFABRICATED COMPONENTS)

DO NOT CLOSE THE ROADWAY TO TRAFFIC FOR THE REMOVAL OR MODIFICATION OF THE EXISTING STRUCTURE OR CONDUIT UNTIL ALL NEW PREFABRICATED MATERIALS, i.e. PRECAST BEAMS, PRECAST HEADWALLS, GIRDERS, STEEL BEAMS, ETC. NECESSARY TO PLACE THE ROADWAY BACK IN SERVICE HAVE BEEN TESTED, APPROVED, AND ARE READY FOR DELIVERY TO THE SITE.

ITEM 614 – MAINTAINING TRAFFIC (LANES OPEN DURING HOLIDAYS OR SPECIAL EVENTS) (TEM 642-6)

NO WORK SHALL BE PERFORMED, AND ALL EXISTING LANES SHALL BE OPEN TO TRAFFIC DURING THE FOLLOWING DESIGNATED HOLIDAYS OR EVENTS:

NEW YEAR'S (OBSERVED)	GENERAL ELECTION DAY (NOVEMBER,
MEMORIAL DAY	THANKSGIVING
FOURTH OF JULY (OBSERVED)	CHRISTMAS (OBSERVED)
LABOR DAY	

THE PERIOD OF TIME THAT LANES ARE TO BE OPEN DEPENDS ON THE DAY OF THE WEEK ON WHICH THE HOLIDAY OR EVENT FALLS. THE FOLLOWING SCHEDULE SHALL BE USED TO DETERMINE THIS PERIOD:

DAY OF HOLIDAY OR EVENT	TIME ALL LANES MUST BE OPEN TO TRAFFIC
SUNDAY	12:00N FRIDAY THROUGH 6:00 AM MONDAY
MONDAY	12:00N FRIDAY THROUGH 6:00 AM TUESDAY
TUESDAY	12:00N MONDAY THROUGH 6:00 AM WEDNESDAY
TUESDAY (ELECTION)	5:00 AM TUESDAY THROUGH 12:00 AM WEDNESDAY
WEDNESDAY	12:00N TUESDAY THROUGH 6:00 AM THURSDAY
THURSDAY	12:00N WEDNESDAY THROUGH 6:00 AM FRIDAY
THANKSGIVING	6:00 AM WEDNESDAY THROUGH 6:00 AM MONDAY
FRIDAY	12:00N THURSDAY THROUGH 6:00 AM MONDAY
SATURDAY	12:00N FRIDAY THROUGH 6:00 AM MONDAY

DURING THE SAME PERIODS, MAINTAIN PEDESTRIAN ACCESS IF PEDESTRIAN ACCESS WAS PRESENT PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION.

SHOULD THE CONTRACTOR FAIL TO MEET ANY OF THESE REQUIREMENTS, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE ASSESSED A DISINCENTIVE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE BELOW LANE VALUE CONTRACT TABLE.

DESCRIPTION OF LOCATION/SEGMENT	DISINCENTIVE PER TIME UNIT	DISINCENTIVE TIME UNIT
ALL WORK ON S.R. 252	\$10,000	PER DAY

ITEM 614 – MAINTAINING TRAFFIC (LANE CLOSURE/REDUCTION REQUIRED) (TEM 642-7)

LENGTH AND DURATION OF LANE CLOSURES AND RESTRICTIONS SHALL BE AT THE APPROVAL OF THE ENGINEER. IT IS THE INTENT TO MINIMIZE THE IMPACT TO THE TRAVELING PUBLIC. LANE CLOSURES OR RESTRICTIONS OVER SEGMENTS OF THE PROJECT IN WHICH NO WORK IS ANTICIPATED WITHIN A REASONABLE TIME FRAME, AS DETERMINED BY THE ENGINEER, SHALL NOT BE PERMITTED. THE LEVEL OF UTILIZATION OF MAINTENANCE OF TRAFFIC DEVICES SHALL BE COMMENSURATE WITH THE WORK IN PROGRESS.

ITEM 614 – MAINTAINING TRAFFIC (NOTICE OF CLOSURE SIGN) (TEM 642-8)

NOTICE OF CLOSURE SIGNS (W20-H14) SHALL BE ERECTED BY THE CONTRACTOR PRIOR TO THE SCHEDULED ROAD OR RAMP CLOSURE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE NOTICE OF CLOSURE TIME TABLE BELOW. [AT THE APPROVAL OF THE ENGINEER, PORTABLE CHANGEABLE MESSAGE SIGNS MAY BE USED IN LIEU OF THE STANDARD FLAT SHEET SIGN FOR CLOSURE DURATIONS OF LESS THAN 1 WEEK]. THE SIGNS SHALL BE ERECTED ON THE RIGHT-HAND SIDE OF THE ROAD/RAMP FACING TRAFFIC. THEY SHALL BE PLACED SO AS NOT TO INTERFERE WITH THE VISIBILITY OF ANY OTHER TRAFFIC CONTROL SIGNS. ON ROADWAYS, THEY SHOULD BE ERECTED AT OR NEAR THE POINT OF CLOSURE. THE SIGNS MAY BE ERECTED ANYWHERE ON RAMP AS LONG AS THEY ARE VISIBLE TO THE MOTORISTS USING THE RAMP. ON ENTRANCE RAMP, THE SIGN SHALL BE ERECTED WELL IN ADVANCE OF THE MERGE AREA TO AVOID DISTRACTING MOTORISTS.

NOTICE OF CLOSURE SIGN TIME TABLE		
ITEM	DURATION OF CLOSURE	SIGN DISPLAYED TO PUBLIC
RAMP AND ROAD CLOSURES	≥ 2 WEEKS	14 CALENDAR DAYS*
	> 12 HOURS & < 2 WEEKS	7 CALENDAR DAYS*
	< 12 HOURS	2 BUSINESS DAYS*

* DAYS PRIOR TO CLOSURE

THE SIGN SHALL DISPLAY THE DATE OF THE CLOSURE IN MMM-DD FORMAT AND THE NUMBER OF DAYS OF THE CLOSURE. THE LAST LINE OF THE W20-H14 SIGN LISTS THE NAME OF THE DEPARTMENT, I.E. "THE OHIO DEPT. OF TRANS."

MAINTENANCE OF LOCAL DETOUR ROUTE (TEM 642-25)

A LOCAL DETOUR ROUTE, OTHER THAN THE OFFICIAL SIGNED ODOT DETOUR ROUTE, AS NOTED IN THESE PLANS, WILL BE SELECTED BY AGREEMENT BETWEEN ODOT AND LOCAL GOVERNMENTAL AGENCIES PRIOR TO THE HIGHWAY CLOSURE. DURING THE TIME THAT TRAFFIC IS DETOURED, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL MAINTAIN THIS ROUTE IN A CONDITION WHICH IS REASONABLY SMOOTH AND FREE FROM HOLES, RUTS, RIDGES, BUMPS, DUST, AND STANDING WATER. ONCE THE DETOUR IS REMOVED AND TRAFFIC RETURNED TO ITS NORMAL PATTERN, THE DESIGNATED LOCAL DETOUR ROUTE SHALL BE RESTORED TO A CONDITION THAT IS EQUIVALENT TO THAT WHICH EXISTED PRIOR TO ITS USE FOR THIS PURPOSE. ALL SUCH WORK SHALL BE PERFORMED WHEN AND AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER. THE DESIGNATED LOCAL DETOUR ROUTE IS TO BE REVIEWED AND REPAIRED PRIOR TO THE ASPHALT CONTRACTOR OR SUBCONTRACTOR LEAVING THE PROJECT.

PAYMENT FOR THE WORK NECESSARY TO REPAIR THESE LOCAL ROADS WILL BE PERFORMED BY CHANGE ORDER.

ITEM 614 – PORTABLE CHANGEABLE MESSAGE SIGNS, AS PER PLAN (TEM 642-41)

THE CONTRACTOR SHALL FURNISH, INSTALL, MAINTAIN AND REMOVE, WHEN NO LONGER NEEDED, A CHANGEABLE MESSAGE SIGN. THE SIGN SHALL BE OF A TYPE SHOWN ON A LIST OF APPROVED PCMS UNITS AVAILABLE ON THE OFFICE OF MATERIALS MANAGEMENT WEB PAGE. THE LIST CONTAINS CLASS A AND B UNITS WITH MINIMUM LEGIBILITY DISTANCES OF 800 FEET AND 650 FEET, RESPECTIVELY.

EACH SIGN SHALL BE TRAILER-MOUNTED AND EQUIPPED WITH A FUNCTIONAL DIMMING MECHANISM, TO DIM THE SIGN DURING DARKNESS, AND A TAMPER AND VANDAL PROOF ENCLOSURE. EACH SIGN SHALL BE PROVIDED WITH APPROPRIATE TRAINING AND OPERATION INSTRUCTIONS TO ENABLE ON-SITE PERSONNEL TO OPERATE AND TROUBLESHOOT THE UNIT. THE SIGN SHALL ALSO BE CAPABLE OF BEING POWERED BY AN ELECTRICAL SERVICE DROP FROM A LOCAL UTILITY COMPANY. THE PCMS SHALL BE DELINEATED IN ACCORDANCE WITH C&MS 614.03.

THE PROBABLE PCMS LOCATIONS AND WORK LIMITS FOR THOSE LOCATIONS ARE SHOWN ON SHEET(S) OF THE PLAN. PLACEMENT, OPERATION, MAINTENANCE AND ALL ACTIVATION OF THE SIGNS BY THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER. THE PCMS SHALL BE LOCATED IN A HIGHLY VISIBLE POSITION YET PROTECTED FROM TRAFFIC. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL, AT THE DIRECTION OF THE ENGINEER, RELOCATE THE PCMS TO IMPROVE VISIBILITY OR ACCOMMODATE CHANGED CONDITIONS. WHEN NOT IN USE, THE PCMS SHALL BE TURNED OFF. ADDITIONALLY, WHEN NOT IN USE FOR EXTENDED PERIODS OF TIME, THE PCMS SHALL BE TURNED AWAY FROM ALL TRAFFIC.

THE ENGINEER SHALL BE PROVIDED ACCESS TO EACH SIGN UNIT AND SHALL BE PROVIDED WITH APPROPRIATE TRAINING AND OPERATION INSTRUCTIONS TO ENABLE ODOT PERSONNEL TO OPERATE AND TROUBLESHOOT THE UNIT, AND TO REVISE SIGN MESSAGES, IF NECESSARY.

ALL MESSAGES TO BE DISPLAYED ON THE SIGN WILL BE PROVIDED BY THE ENGINEER. A LIST OF ALL REQUIRED PRE-PROGRAMMED MESSAGES WILL BE GIVEN TO THE CONTRACTOR AT THE PROJECT PRECONSTRUCTION CONFERENCE. THE SIGN SHALL HAVE THE CAPABILITY TO STORE UP TO 99 MESSAGES. MESSAGE MEMORY OR PRE-PROGRAMMED DISPLAYS SHALL NOT BE LOST AS A RESULT OF POWER FAILURES TO THE ON-BOARD COMPUTER. THE SIGN LEGEND SHALL BE CAPABLE OF BEING CHANGED IN THE FIELD. THREE-LINE PRESENTATION FORMATS WITH UP TO SIX MESSAGE PHASES SHALL BE SUPPORTED. PCMS FORMAT SHALL PERMIT THE COMPLETE MESSAGE FOR EACH PHASE TO BE READ AT LEAST TWICE.

THE PCMS SHALL CONTAIN AN ACCURATE CLOCK AND PROGRAMMING LOGIC WHICH WILL ALLOW THE SIGN TO BE ACTIVATED, DEACTIVATED OR MESSAGES CHANGED AUTOMATICALLY AT DIFFERENT TIMES OF THE DAY FOR DIFFERENT DAYS OF THE WEEK.

THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR 24-HOUR-PER-DAY OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF THESE SIGNS ON THE PROJECT FOR THE DURATION OF THE PHASES WHEN THE PLAN REQUIRES THEIR USE.

PAYMENT FOR THE ABOVE DESCRIBED ITEM SHALL BE AT THE CONTRACT UNIT PRICE. PAYMENT SHALL INCLUDE ALL LABOR, MATERIALS, EQUIPMENT, FUELS, LUBRICATING OILS, SOFTWARE, HARDWARE AND INCIDENTALS TO PERFORM THE ABOVE DESCRIBED WORK.

ITEM 614 – PORTABLE CHANGEABLE MESSAGE SIGN, AS PER PLAN 4 SIGN MONTH
ASSUMING 2 PCMS SIGNS FOR 2 MONTHS

NOTIFICATION OF TRAFFIC RESTRICTIONS (TEM 642-58)

THROUGHOUT THE DURATION OF THE PROJECT, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL NOTIFY THE PROJECT ENGINEER IN WRITING OF ALL TRAFFIC RESTRICTIONS AND UPCOMING MAINTENANCE OF TRAFFIC CHANGES. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL ENSURE THE WRITTEN NOTIFICATION IS SUBMITTED IN A TIMELY MANNER TO ALLOW THE PROJECT ENGINEER TO MEET THE REQUIRED TIME FRAMES SET FORTH IN THE TABLE BELOW TO INFORM THE SPECIAL HAULING PERMITS SECTION (HAULING_PERMITS@DOT.OHIO.GOV), THE DISTRICT PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICE (PIO), THE DISTRICT DETOUR NOTIFICATION EMAIL LIST (D03.DETOUR.NOTIFICATION@DOT.OHIO.GOV), AND THE DISTRICT LANE CLOSURE NOTIFICATION EMAIL LIST (D03.LANECLOSURE@DOT.OHIO.GOV). THIS NOTIFICATION SHALL BE RECEIVED BY THE PROJECT ENGINEER PRIOR TO THE PHYSICAL SETUP OF ANY APPLICABLE SIGNS OR MESSAGE BOARDS.

INFORMATION SHOULD INCLUDE, BUT IS NOT LIMITED TO, ALL CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES THAT IMPACT OR INTERFERE WITH TRAFFIC AND SHALL LIST THE SPECIFIC LOCATION, TYPE OF WORK, ROAD STATUS, DATE AND TIME OF RESTRICTION, DURATION OF RESTRICTION, NUMBER OF LANES MAINTAINED, NUMBER OF LANES CLOSED, MINIMUM VERTICAL CLEARANCE, MINIMUM WIDTH OF DRIVABLE PAVEMENT, DETOUR ROUTES, IF APPLICABLE, AND ANY OTHER INFORMATION REQUESTED BY THE PROJECT ENGINEER.

NOTIFICATION TIME TABLE		
ITEM	DURATION OF CLOSURE	NOTICE DUE TO PERMITS AND PIO*
RAMP AND/OR ROAD CLOSURES	2 WEEKS OR GREATER	21 CALENDAR DAYS
	12 HOURS TO 2 WEEKS	14 CALENDAR DAYS
	12 HOURS OR LESS	4 BUSINESS DAYS

LANE CLOSURES AND RESTRICTIONS	2 WEEKS OR GREATER	14 CALENDAR DAYS
	LESS THAN 2 WEEKS	5 BUSINESS DAYS

START OF CONSTRUCTION AND TRAFFIC PATTERN CHANGES	N/A	14 CALENDAR DAYS
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* - PRIOR TO CLOSURE DATE, UNLESS NOTED OTHERWISE

ANY UNFORESEEN CONDITIONS NOT SPECIFIED IN THE PLANS REQUIRING TRAFFIC RESTRICTIONS SHALL ALSO BE REPORTED TO THE PROJECT ENGINEER USING THE NOTIFICATION TIME TABLE.