

MAINTENANCE OF TRAFFIC

THIS ITEM SHALL CONSIST OF MAINTENANCE OF TRAFFIC ON EXISTING ROADWAYS AND RAMPS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE OHIO MANUAL OF UNIFORM TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES FOR STREETS AND HIGHWAYS, CURRENT EDITION, LATEST REVISION, THE SPECIFICATIONS AND THE FOLLOWING:

1. ON 2-LANE SECTIONS: A MINIMUM OF ONE TEN FOOT BIDIRECTIONAL LANE SHALL BE MAINTAINED ON THE EXISTING AND COMPLETED PAVEMENT DURING CONSTRUCTION OF THE WORK.

ON 3 OR MORE LANE SECTIONS: A MINIMUM OF ONE TEN FOOT LANE IN EACH DIRECTION SHALL BE MAINTAINED ON THE EXISTING AND COMPLETED PAVEMENT DURING CONSTRUCTION OF THE WORK.

2. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL INFORM THE DISTRICT OFFICE (330) 786-2208, EIGHTEEN (18) DAYS PRIOR TO THE BEGINNING OF WORK.

3. ALL FULL DEPTH PAVEMENT REMOVAL AND REPLACEMENT OPERATIONS SHALL BE COMPLETED THE SAME DAY THE EXCAVATION IS MADE. IF THE CONTRACTOR CANNOT COMPLETE THE WORK, THE EXCAVATION SHALL BE BACKFILLED OR PROTECTED AS PER STANDARD CONSTRUCTION DRAWING MT-101.90.

4. TRUCK MOUNTED ATTENUATORS [TMA'S] SHALL BE USED AS SHOWN IN THE STANDARD CONSTRUCTION DRAWINGS.

5. UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES SHALL THE CONTRACTOR BE PERMITTED TO HAVE SUCCESSIVE WORK ZONES UNLESS THE DISTANCE BETWEEN THE DRUMS, BARRICADES OR CONES EXCEEDS TWO (2) MILES RURAL OR ONE [1] MILE URBAN.

6. FOR ROUTES NOT ON THE PERMITTED LANE CLOSURE CHART, ONLY DURING OFF-PEAK PERIODS (ie ANY PERIOD OTHER THAN 6-8AM AND 3-6PM) SHALL THE CONTRACTOR INSTALL AND SUBSEQUENTLY RESET ALL TRAFFIC CONTROL NECESSARY FOR THE WORK ZONE FOR EACH CONSTRUCTION PHASE.

7. IN ADDITION TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF 614.11 WORK ZONE PAVEMENT MARKINGS, AT THE END OF EACH DAY OF WORK, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL REPLACE (WITH WORK ZONE MARKINGS) ALL LANE, CENTER, STOP OR CHANNELIZING LINES THAT WERE REMOVED OR COVERED DURING THE PAVEMENT REMOVAL OR PLACEMENT OPERATIONS. QUANTITIES FOR SUCH PLACEMENT ARE CARRIED AS PART OF THE ITEMS LISTED UNDER 614 WORK ZONE PAVEMENT MARKINGS.

8. A QUANTITY OF 20 CU. YDS. OF ITEM 614 ASPHALT CONCRETE FOR MAINTAINING TRAFFIC SHALL BE PROVIDED FOR USE IN MAINTAINING PAVEMENT, SHOULDERS AND OTHER LOCATIONS AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER.

9. PRIOR TO OPENING TO TRAFFIC EACH LANE SHALL BE IN A SAFE, PASSABLE CONDITION. ALL TRANSVERSE JOINTS SHALL EXTEND ACROSS THE FULL LANE AND SHOULDER WIDTH AND EACH LANE SHALL BE FREE FROM UNEVEN LONGITUDINAL JOINTS. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL PROVIDE ASPHALT WEDGES FOR TRANSVERSE JOINTS WHEREVER THERE ARE PAVEMENT ELEVATION DIFFERENCES.

10. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL PLACE THE SIGNS: W8-1 [BUMP] PER OMUTCD 2C.28; W8-11 [UNEVEN LANES] PER OMUTCD 6F.45; AND W6-3 [TWO-WAY TRAFFIC] PER OMUTCD 6F.32. PAYMENT FOR THESE SIGNS SHALL BE INCIDENTAL TO THE LUMP SUM ITEM 614-MAINTAINING TRAFFIC. A QUANTITY OF ITEM 614 WORK ZONE MARKING SIGNS HAS BEEN INCLUDED IN THE PLANS PER CMS 614.04.

THE FOLLOWING QUANTITIES SHALL BE USED FOR THE MAINTENANCE OF TRAFFIC ON THIS PROJECT:

614, WORK ZONE MARKING SIGN, (ALL PHASES) 20 EACH

TRAFFIC CONTROL INSPECTOR

THE CONTRACTOR SHALL DESIGNATE AN INDIVIDUAL OTHER THAN THE SUPERINTENDENT AND SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE ENGINEER, TO CONTINUOUSLY INSPECT ALL TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES WHENEVER CONSTRUCTION WORK IS BEING PERFORMED WITHIN THE WORK LIMITS OF THE PROJECT. THE DESIGNATED INDIVIDUAL SHALL ALSO INSPECT ALL TRAFFIC DEVICES AT THE BEGINNING AND AT THE END OF EACH WORK DAY. THE DESIGNATED INDIVIDUAL OR A QUALIFIED REPRESENTATIVE SHALL ALSO BE AVAILABLE ON AN AROUND THE CLOCK BASIS TO REPAIR AND/OR REPLACE DAMAGED OR MISSING TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES. THESE INDIVIDUALS SHALL BE EQUIPPED WITH CELLULAR PHONES AND THEIR NAMES AND PHONE NUMBERS SHALL BE GIVEN TO THE PROJECT ENGINEER AT THE PRE-CONSTRUCTION MEETING. THE DESIGNATED INDIVIDUAL MAY HAVE OTHER CONSTRUCTION RELATED DUTIES AS LONG AS IMMEDIATE ATTENTION IS GIVEN TO TRAFFIC CONTROL. PAYMENT FOR THE SERVICES OF THE TRAFFIC CONTROL INSPECTOR SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE LUMP SUM PRICE BID FOR ITEM 614 MAINTAINING TRAFFIC.

LANE CLOSURES (MAH-711 & MAH-62)

DURATION OF LANE CLOSURES AND RESTRICTIONS SHALL BE AS PER THE PERMITTED LANE CLOSURE CHART. THE PERMITTED LANE CLOSURE CHART USED FOR THIS PROJECT SHALL BE THE MOST CURRENT CHART AVAILABLE ON THE DATE THIS PROJECT SELLS.

THE CHART CAN BE FOUND AT:
<http://plcm.dot.state.oh.us>

SHOULD THE CONTRACTOR FAIL TO MEET ANY OF THE REQUIREMENTS IN THE CHART, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE ASSESSED DISINCENTIVES IN THE AMOUNT OF \$2,500 PER HOUR OR PORTION THEREOF THAT THE LANE REDUCTION REMAINS BEYOND THE SPECIFIED LIMIT.

ITEM 614 - LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER (WITH PATROL CAR) FOR ASSISTANCE DURING CONSTRUCTION OPERATIONS

USE OF LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS (LEOS) BY CONTRACTORS OTHER THAN THE USES SPECIFIED BELOW WILL NOT BE PERMITTED AT PROJECT COST. LEOS SHOULD NOT BE USED WHERE THE OMUTCD INTENDS THAT FLAGGERS BE USED.

IN ADDITION TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF C&MS 614 AND THE OMUTCD, A UNIFORMED LEO WITH AN OFFICIAL PATROL CAR (CAR WITH TOP-MOUNTED EMERGENCY FLASHING LIGHTS AND COMPLETE MARKINGS OF THE APPROPRIATE LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY) SHALL BE PROVIDED FOR THE FOLLOWING TRAFFIC CONTROL TASKS:

DURING THE ENTIRE ADVANCE PREPARATION AND CLOSURE SEQUENCE WHERE COMPLETE BLOCKAGE OF TRAFFIC IS REQUIRED.

DURING A TRAFFIC SIGNAL INSTALLATION WHEN IMPACTING THE NORMAL FUNCTION OF THE SIGNAL OR THE FLOW OF TRAFFIC OR WHEN TRAFFIC NEEDS TO BE DIRECTED THROUGH AN ENERGIZED TRAFFIC SIGNAL CONTRARY TO THE SIGNAL DISPLAY (E.G., DIRECTING MOTORISTS THROUGH A RED LIGHT).

IN ADDITION TO THE REQUIREMENT OF C&MS 614 AND THE OMUTCD, A UNIFORMED LEO WITH AN OFFICIAL PATROL CAR (CAR WITH TOP-MOUNTED EMERGENCY FLASHING LIGHTS AND COMPLETE MARKINGS OF THE APPROPRIATE LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY) SHOULD BE PROVIDED FOR THE FOLLOWING TRAFFIC CONTROL TASKS AS APPROVED BY THE ENGINEER:

FOR LANE CLOSURES: DURING INITIAL SET-UP PERIODS, TEAR DOWN PERIODS, SUBSTANTIAL SHIFTS OF A CLOSURE POINT OR WHEN NEW LANE CLOSURE ARRANGEMENTS ARE INITIATED FOR LONG-TERM LANE CLOSURES/SHIFTS (FOR THE FIRST AND LAST DAY OF MAJOR CHANGES IN TRAFFIC CONTROL SETUP).

IN GENERAL, LEOS SHOULD BE POSITIONED IN ADVANCE OF AND ON THE SAME SIDE AS THE LANE RESTRICTION OR AT THE POINT OF ROAD CLOSURE, AND TO MANUALLY CONTROL TRAFFIC MOVEMENTS THROUGH SIGNALIZED INTERSECTIONS IN WORK ZONES.

LEOS SHOULD NOT FORGO THEIR TRAFFIC CONTROL RESPONSIBILITIES TO APPREHEND MOTORISTS FOR ROUTINE TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS. HOWEVER, IF A MOTORIST'S ACTIONS ARE CONSIDERED TO BE RECKLESS, THEN PURSUIT OF THE MOTORIST IS APPROPRIATE.

THE LEOS WORK AT THE DIRECTION OF THE CONTRACTOR. THE CONTRACTOR IS RESPONSIBLE FOR SECURING THE SERVICES OF THE LEOS WITH THE APPROPRIATE AGENCIES AND COMMUNICATING THE INTENTIONS OF THE PLANS WITH RESPECT TO DUTIES OF THE LEOS. THE ENGINEER SHALL HAVE FINAL CONTROL OVER THE LEOS' DUTIES AND PLACEMENT, AND WILL RESOLVE ANY ISSUES THAT MAY ARISE BETWEEN THE TWO PARTIES.

THE LEO SHALL REPORT IN TO THE CONTRACTOR PRIOR TO THE START OF THE SHIFT, IN ORDER TO RECEIVE INSTRUCTIONS REGARDING SPECIFIC WORK ASSIGNMENTS DURING HIS/HER SHIFT. THE LEO IS EXPECTED TO STAY AT THE PROJECT SITE FOR THE ENTIRE DURATION OF HIS/HER SHIFT. THE LEO SHALL REPORT TO THE CONTRACTOR AT THE END OF HIS/HER SHIFT. ONCE THE LEO HAS COMPLETED THE DUTIES DESCRIBED ABOVE AND STILL HAS TIME REMAINING ON HIS/HER SHIFT, THE LEO MAY BE ASKED TO PATROL THROUGH THE WORK ZONE (WITH FLASHING LIGHTS OFF) OR BE PLACED AT A LOCATION TO DETER MOTORISTS FROM SPEEDING. SHOULD IT BE NECESSARY TO LEAVE THE PROJECT SITE, THE LEO SHALL NOTIFY THE ENGINEER. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL PROVIDE THE LEO WITH A TWO-WAY COMMUNICATION DEVICE WHICH SHALL BE RETURNED TO THE CONTRACTOR AT THE END OF HIS/HER SHIFT.

LEOS (WITH PATROL CAR) REQUIRED BY THE TRAFFIC MAINTENANCE TASKS ABOVE SHALL BE PAID FOR ON A UNIT PRICE (HOURLY) BASIS UNDER ITEM 614, LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER (WITH PATROL CAR) FOR ASSISTANCE. THE FOLLOWING ESTIMATED QUANTITIES HAVE BEEN CARRIED TO THE GENERAL SUMMARY.

ITEM 614, LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER WITH PATROL CAR FOR ASSISTANCE 200 HOURS

THE HOURS PAID SHALL INCLUDE ANY MINIMUM SHOW-UP TIME REQUIRED BY THE LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY INVOLVED.

ANY ADDITIONAL COSTS (ADMINISTRATIVE OR OTHERWISE) INCURRED BY THE CONTRACTOR TO OBTAIN THE SERVICES OF AN LEO ARE INCLUDED WITH THE BID UNIT PRICE FOR ITEM 614, LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER WITH PATROL CAR FOR ASSISTANCE.

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