#### **PROJECT SPECIAL PROVISIONS**

#### **ROADWAY**

#### **SHOULDER RECONSTRUCTION PER SHOULDER MILE:**

(1-18-00) (Rev 5-17-11)

R1 R07A(Rev)

#### **Description**

This work consists of reconstructing each shoulder (including median shoulders as applicable) in accordance with Roadway Standard Nos. 560.01 and 560.02 of the 2012 Roadway Standard Drawings except that the rate of slope and width will be as shown on typical section, or to the existing shoulder point, whichever is nearer, as long as the desired typical is achieved, and when completed, seeding and mulching. This work shall be performed immediately after the resurfacing operations are complete as directed by the Engineer.

#### **Materials**

The Contractor shall furnish all earth material necessary for the construction of the shoulders in accordance with Section 1019 of the 2012 Standard Specifications. All soil is subject to test and acceptance or rejection by the Engineer.

The Contractor shall use Aggregate Shoulder Borrow (ASB) which meets the following gradation on Map 1, and in environmentally sensitive areas on other maps as directed by the Engineer.

| <u>Sieve</u> | Percent Passing |
|--------------|-----------------|
| 1 1/2"       | 100             |
| 1/2"         | 55 – 95         |
| #4           | 35 - 74         |

#### **Construction Methods**

Obtain material from within the project limits or approved borrow source. Prior to adding borrow material, the existing shoulder shall be scarified to provide the proper bond and shall be compacted to the satisfaction of the Engineer.

Any excess material generated by the shoulder reconstruction shall be disposed of by the Contractor in an approved disposal site.

#### Measurement and Payment

Shoulder Reconstruction will be measured and paid as the actual number of miles of shoulders that have been reconstructed. Measurement will be made along the surface of each shoulder to the nearest 0.01 of a mile. Such price will include disposing of any excess material in an approved disposal site, and for all labor, tools, equipment, and incidentals necessary to complete the work.

Borrow Excavation will be paid in accordance with Section 230 of the 2012 Standard Specifications for earth material furnished by the Contractor. The requirements of Article 104-5 of the 2012 Standard Specifications pertaining to revised contract prices for overrunning minor items will not apply to the item of Borrow Excavation. If ASB is used for borrow, a unit weight of 140 pounds per cubic foot will be used to convert the weight of ASB to cubic yards.

Incidental Stone Base will be measured and paid as provided in Article 545-6 of the 2012 Standard Specifications. If ASB is used for Incidental Stone Base, payment will be made for borrow as referenced above.

Seeding and Mulching will be measured and paid as shown elsewhere in the contract documents. Where ASB is used, seeding and mulching will not be required.

Payment will be made under:

Pay Item
Shoulder Reconstruction
Borrow Excavation

Pay Unit Shoulder Mile Cubic Yard

#### **INCIDENTAL STONE BASE:**

(7-1-95) (Rev.8-21-12) 545 SP5 R28R

#### **Description**

Place incidental stone base on driveways, mailboxes, etc. immediately after paving and do not have the paving operations exceed stone base placement by more than one week without written permission of the Engineer.

#### **Materials and Construction**

Provide and place incidental stone base in accordance with Section 545 of the 2012 Standard Specifications.

#### **Measurement and Payment**

Incidental Stone Base will be measured and paid in accordance with Article 545-6 of the 2012 Standard Specifications.

# **ASPHALT PAVEMENTS - SUPERPAVE:**

-19-12)

SP6 R01

Revise the 2012 Standard Specifications as follows:

Page 6-3, Article 605-7 APPLICATION RATES AND TEMPERATURES, replace this article, including Table 601-1, with the following:

Apply tack coat uniformly across the existing surface at target application rates shown in Table 605-1.

## TABLE 605-1 APPLICATION RATES FOR TACK COAT

| Existing Suuface           | Target Rate (gal/sy) |
|----------------------------|----------------------|
| Existing Surface           | Emulsified Asphalt   |
| New Asphalt                | $0.04 \pm 0.01$      |
| Oxidized or Milled Asphalt | $0.06 \pm 0.01$      |
| Concrete                   | $0.08 \pm 0.01$      |

Apply tack coat at a temperature within the ranges shown in Table 605-2. Tack coat shall not be overheated during storage, transport or at application.

# TABLE 605-2 APPLICATION TEMPERATURE FOR TACK COAT

| AFFLICATION TEMFERATURE FOR TACK COAT |                   |  |  |  |  |  |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| Asphalt Material                      | Temperature Range |  |  |  |  |  |
| Asphalt Binder, Grade PG 64-22        | 350 - 400°F       |  |  |  |  |  |
| Emulsified Asphalt, Grade RS-1H       | 130 - 160°F       |  |  |  |  |  |
| Emulsified Asphalt, Grade CRS-1       | 130 - 160°F       |  |  |  |  |  |
| Emulsified Asphalt, Grade CRS-1H      | 130 - 160°F       |  |  |  |  |  |
| Emulsified Asphalt, Grade HFMS-1      | 130 - 160°F       |  |  |  |  |  |
| Emulsified Asphalt, Grade CRS-2       | 130 - 160°F       |  |  |  |  |  |

Page 6-18, Article 610-1 DESCRIPTION, lines 40-41, delete the last sentence of the last paragraph.

Page 6-19, Subarticle 610-3(A) Mix Design-General, line 5, add the following as the first paragraph:

Warm mix asphalt (WMA) is allowed for use at the Contractor's option in accordance with the NCDOT Approved Products List for WMA Technologies available at: http://www.ncdot.org/doh/operations/materials/pdf/wma.pdf.

## **ASPHALT BINDER CONTENT OF ASPHALT PLANT MIXES:**

(11-21-00) (Rev. 7-17-12)

SP6 R15

The approximate asphalt binder content of the asphalt concrete plant mixtures used on this project will be as follows:

| Asphalt Concrete Base Course         | Type B 25.0  | 4.4% |
|--------------------------------------|--------------|------|
| Asphalt Concrete Intermediate Course | Type I 19.0  | 4.8% |
| Asphalt Concrete Surface Course      | Type S 4.75A | 6.8% |
| Asphalt Concrete Surface Course      | Type SA-1    | 6.8% |
| Asphalt Concrete Surface Course      | Type SF 9.5A | 6.7% |
| Asphalt Concrete Surface Course      | Type S 9.5   | 6.0% |
| Asphalt Concrete Surface Course      | Type S 12.5  | 5.6% |

The actual asphalt binder content will be established during construction by the Engineer within the limits established in the 2012 Standard Specifications.

#### **ASPHALT PLANT MIXTURES:**

(7-1-95)

609

SP6 R20

Place asphalt concrete base course material in trench sections with asphalt pavement spreaders made for the purpose or with other equipment approved by the Engineer.

#### PRICE ADJUSTMENT - ASPHALT BINDER FOR PLANT MIX:

(11-21-00)

620

SP6 R25

Price adjustments for asphalt binder for plant mix will be made in accordance with Section 620 of the 2012 Standard Specifications.

The base price index for asphalt binder for plant mix is \$590.33 per ton.

This base price index represents an average of F.O.B. selling prices of asphalt binder at supplier's terminals on August 1, 2012.

#### **FINAL SURFACE TESTING NOT REQUIRED:**

(5-18-04) (Rev. 5-15-12)

610

SP6 R45

Final surface testing is not required on this project.

#### **ASPHALT CONCRETE SURFACE COURSE COMPACTION:**

(7-1-95) (Rev. 8-21-12)

SP6 R49R

Compact the asphalt surface course on this project in accordance with Subarticle 610-9 of the 2012 Standard Specifications and the following provision:

Perform the first rolling with a steel wheel roller followed by rolling with a self-propelled pneumatic tired roller with the final rolling by a steel wheel roller.

#### **RESURFACING EXISTING BRIDGES:**

(3-20-12) (Rev. 8-21-12) SP6 R61BR

The Contractor's attention is directed to the fact that he will be required to mill and resurface the bridges on this project if directed by the Engineer.

Place the surface so as to follow a grade line set by the Engineer with the minimum thickness as shown on the sketch herein or as directed by the Engineer. State Forces will make all necessary repairs to the bridge floors prior to the time that the Contractor places the proposed surfacing. Give the Engineer at least 15 days notice prior to the expected time to begin operations so that State Forces will have sufficient time to complete their work.

At all bridges that are not to be resurfaced, mill a taper into existing pavement for a length of 25 feet per inch of final surface. A temporary asphalt wedge will be required immediately after milling to ensure smooth travel if the final layer of surface course is not placed on the same day as milling.

### TRENCHING FOR BASE COURSE:

(7-1-95) (Rev. 8-21-12) 610

SP6 R79AR

Perform all trenching necessary to place the asphalt concrete base course widening in accordance with the typical sections, at locations shown on the sketch maps, and as directed by the Engineer.

Perform the trenching for the base course on the same day that the base course is to be placed. If the base course cannot be placed on the same day the trench section is excavated, backfill the trench with earth material and compact it to the satisfaction of the Engineer. Once the trench is open, perform backfilling and re-opening of the trench at no cost to the Department.

The Contractor will be restricted to widening one side of the project at a time unless otherwise permitted by the Engineer. In widening, operate equipment and conduct operations in the same direction as the flow of traffic.

Density tests may be taken every 2,000 feet in the widened areas as directed by the Engineer. Shape and compact the subgrade in the widened areas to the satisfaction of the Engineer. Compact the asphalt concrete base course in the widened areas in accordance with the provisions of Article 610-9 of the 2012 Standard Specifications.

Place the excavated material from trenching operation on the adjacent shoulder area as directed by the Engineer. Cut adequate weep holes in the excavated material to provide for adequate drainage as directed by the Engineer. Remove all excavated material from all drives to provide ingress and egress to abutting properties and from in front of mailboxes and paper boxes. Saw a neat edge and remove all asphalt and/or concrete driveways, and existing asphalt widening, as directed by the Engineer, to the width of the widening and dispose of any excavated concrete or asphalt materials. Properly reconnect driveways.

Upon completion of the paving operation, backfill the trench to the satisfaction of the Engineer. Properly dispose of any excess material remaining after this operation.

No direct payment will be made for trenching, sawing, and removal of driveways, depositing material on shoulder area, backfilling trench, or removal of spoil material, as the cost of this work shall be included in the bid unit price per ton for Asphalt Concrete Base Course, Type .

# **PATCHING EXISTING PAVEMENT:**

(1-15-02) (Rev.8-21-12) 610 SP6 R88R

#### **Description**

The Contractor's attention is directed to the fact that there are areas of existing pavement on this project that will require repair prior to resurfacing. Patch the areas that, in the opinion of the Engineer, need repairing. The areas to be patched will be delineated by the Engineer prior to the Contractor performing repairs.

#### **Materials**

The patching consists of Asphalt Concrete Base Course, Asphalt Concrete Intermediate Course, Asphalt Concrete Surface Course, or a combination of base, binder and surface course.

#### **Construction Methods**

Remove existing pavement at locations directed by the Engineer in accordance with Section 250 of the 2012 Standard Specifications.

Place Asphalt Concrete Base Course, in lifts not exceeding 5.5 inches. Utilize compaction equipment suitable for compacting patches as small as 3.5 feet by 6 feet on each lift. Use an approved compaction pattern to achieve proper compaction. If patched pavement is to be open to traffic for more than 48 hours prior to overlay, use Asphalt Surface Course in the top 1.25 inches of the patch.

Schedule operations so that all areas where pavement has been removed will be repaired on the same day of the pavement removal and all lanes of traffic restored.

#### Measurement and Payment

Patching Existing Pavement will be measured and paid as the actual number of tons of asphalt plant mix complete in place that has been used to make completed and accepted repairs. The asphalt plant mixed material will be measured by being weighed in trucks on certified platform scales or other certified weighing devices. The above price and payment will be full compensation for all work covered by this provision, including but not limited to removal and disposal of all types of pavement; furnishing and applying tack coat; furnishing, placing, and compacting of asphalt plant mix; furnishing of asphalt binder for the asphalt plant mix; and furnishing scales.

Patching Existing Pavement will be considered a minor item. In the event that the item of Patching Existing Pavement overruns the original bid quantity by more than 100 percent, the provisions of Article 104-5 of the 2012 Standard Specifications pertaining to revised contract

unit price for overrunning minor items will not apply to this item. Any provisions included in the contract that provides for adjustments in compensation due to variations in the price of asphalt binder will not be applicable to payment for the work covered by this provision.

Payment will be made under:

Pay ItemPay UnitPatching Existing PavementTon

## **ADJUSTMENT OF MANHOLES:**

(7-1-95) (Rev. 8-21-12) 858 SP8 R95R

The Contractor's attention is directed to Section 858-3 of the 2012 Standard Specifications.

The use of cast iron or steel fittings in the adjustment of manholes will not be permitted on this project except where it is considered by the Engineer to be in the best interest of the Department to allow rings to be used. When rings are permitted for the adjustment of manholes, the rings shall have satisfactory bearing on the existing manhole frames and 50 percent of the circumference shall be tack welded at four equally spaced locations as directed by the Engineer. If the existing covers do not fit the rings, furnish and install new covers at no additional expense to the Department.

MATERIALS: (2-21-12) (Rev. 9-18-12)

-21-12) (Rev. 9-18-12) 1005, 1081, 1092

SP10 R01

Revise the 2012 Standard Specifications as follows:

Page 10-5, Table 1000-1, REQUIREMENTS FOR CONCRETE, replace with the following:

|                                     |   |                       | REQ                       | TA<br>UIREME          | BLE 1000<br>NTS FOR               |                                    | CRETE               |                |              |               |              |
|-------------------------------------|---|-----------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------|----------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|
|                                     | <b>.</b>                                      | Maxir                 |                           | er-Cement             |                                   | Con                                | sistency<br>. Slump | Cement Content |              |               |              |
| Class of<br>Concrete                | Min. Comp.<br>Strength<br>at 28 days          |                       | -Entrained<br>Concrete    |                       | Non Air-<br>Entrained<br>Concrete |                                    | Non-<br>Vibrated    | Vibrated       |              | Non- Vibrated |              |
| 90                                  | Mir<br>St                                     | Rounded<br>Aggre-gate | Angular<br>Aggre-<br>gate | Rounded<br>Aggre-gate | Angular<br>Aggre-<br>gate         | Vibrated                           | . Z di              | Min.           | Max.         | Min.          | Max.         |
| Units                               | psi   |                       |                           |                       |                                   | . inch                             | inch                | lb/cy          | lb/cy        | lb/cy         | lb/cy        |
| AA                                  | 4,500   | 0.381                 | 0.426                     | -                     | -                                 | 3.5                                | -                   | 639            | 715          | -             | -            |
| AA Slip<br>Form                     | 4,500   | 0.381                 | 0.426                     | -                     | -                                 | 1.5                                | . <u>-</u>          | 639            | . 715        | -             | -            |
| Drilled Pier                        | 4,500   | -                     | -                         | 0.450                 | 0.450                             | <b>-</b>                           | 5-7 dry<br>7-9 wet  | -              | <b>-</b>     | 640           | 800          |
| Α                                   | 3,000   | 0.488                 | 0.532                     | 0.550                 | 0.594                             | 3.5                                | 4                   | 564            | -            | 602           | -            |
| В                                   | 2,500   | 0.488                 | 0.567                     | 0.559                 | 0.630                             | 2.5                                | · 4                 | 508            | -            | 545           | -            |
| B Slip<br>Formed                    | 2,500   | 0.488                 | 0.567                     | _                     | · -                               | 1.5                                |                     | 508            | -            | -             | -            |
| Sand Light-<br>weight               | 4,500   |                       | 0.420                     |                       | -                                 | 4                                  |                     | 715            | -            | -             | -            |
| Latex<br>Modified                   | 3,000<br>7 day                                | 0.400                 | 0.400                     |                       | -                                 | 6                                  | -                   | 658            | -            | :             | -            |
| Flowable<br>Fill<br>excavatable     | 150 max.<br>at 56 days                        | as needed             | as needed                 | as needed             | as needed                         | -                                  | Flow-<br>able       | -              | -            | <b>40</b>     | 100          |
| Flowable<br>Fill<br>non-excavatable | 125   | as needed             | as needed                 | as needed             | as needed                         | -                                  | Flow-<br>able       | -              | _            | 100           | as<br>needed |
| Pavement                            | 4,500 design, field 650 flexural, design only | 0.559                 | 0.559                     | -                     | -                                 | 1.5<br>slip<br>form<br>3.0<br>hand | -                   | 526            | •            | - <u>-</u>    | -            |
| Precast                             | See Table<br>1077-1                           | as needed             | as needed                 | -                     | -                                 | 6                                  | as<br>needed        | as<br>needed   | as<br>needed | as<br>needed  | as<br>needed |
| Prestress                           | per<br>contract                               | See Table<br>1078-1   | See<br>Table<br>1078-1    | ·                     | -                                 | 8                                  | -                   | 564            | as<br>needed |               | -            |

Page 10-23, Table 1005-1, AGGREGATE GRADATION-COARSE AGGREGATE, replace with the following:

| Light-<br>weight C | ABC<br>(M)                | ABC   | 9           | 14M   | 78M  | 67                                       | 6M        | 57M                    | 57   |                             | 467M              | 4                 | Std.<br>Size # |                                       |
|--------------------|---------------------------|---|-------------|---|--|--|-----------|------------------------|--|-----------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|----------------|---------------------------------------|
| ı                  | ı                         | 1   | ı           | :   | •  | , <b>!</b>                               |           | 1                      |  |                             | 100               | 100               | 2"             |                                       |
|                    | 100                       | 100   |             |   |  |  | : 1       | 100                    | 100  | 100                         | 95-<br>100        | 90 <b>-</b>       | 1<br>1/2"      |                                       |
|                    | 75-<br>100                | 75-<br>97   | . 1         |   | ı  | 100                                      | 100       | 95-<br>100             | 95-<br>100   | 90 <u>-</u>                 | •                 | 20-<br>55         | 1:             | ••                                    |
|                    | •                         | ı   |             |   | 100  | 100<br>100                               | 100       | •                      |  | 20-<br>55                   | 35-<br>70         | 0-15              | 3/4"           | ¨.<br>· ₽                             |
| 100                | 45-<br>79                 | 80<br>80  | •           |   | 98-<br>100   |  | 20-<br>55 | 25-<br>45              | 25-  | 0-10                        | ı                 | ı                 | 1/2"           | ercen                                 |
| 80 <u>-</u>        | •                         |   | 100         | 100   | 75-<br>100   | 20-<br>55                                | 0-20      |                        |  | 0-5                         | 0-30              | 0-5               | 3/8"           | tage o                                |
| 5-<br>40           | 20-<br>40                 | 35 <u>-</u><br>55                                 | 100<br>100  | 35 <u>-</u><br>70                                       | 20-<br>45  | 0-10                                     | 0-8       | 0-10                   | 0-10   | ı                           | 0-5               | •                 | #              | Percentage of Total by Weight Passing |
| 0-20               | •                         | ı   | 4 P         | 5-20  | 0-15   | 0-5                                      | ı         | 0-5                    | 0-5  | ı                           |                   | •                 | #8             | l by V                                |
| •                  | 0-<br>25                  | 25-<br>45   | •           | •   | ı  | •  | •         | •                      | ı  | •                           |                   |                   | #10            | Veigh                                 |
| 0-10               | •                         | •   | 0-10        | 0-8   |  |  | ı         | •                      | •  | ı                           | •                 | ı                 | #16            | t Pass                                |
|                    | •                         | 30  |             | •   | •  | ı  | •         | ı                      | ı  | : 1                         | •                 | •                 | #40            | ing                                   |
| 0-2.5              | 0-<br>12 <sup>B</sup>     | 4-<br>12 <sup>B</sup>                             | <b>&gt;</b> | <b>A</b>  | <b>&gt;</b> .  | >  | <b>A</b>  | <b>&gt;</b> .          | >  | . >                         | <b>A</b>          | A                 | #200           | •                                     |
| AST                | Maintenance Stabilization | Aggregate Base Course,<br>Aggregate Stabilization | AST         | Asphalt Plant Mix, AST, Weep Hole Drains, Str. Concrete | Asphalt Plant Mix, AST,<br>Str. Conc, Weep Hole Drains | AST, Str. Concrete,<br>Asphalt Plant Mix | AST       | AST, Concrete Pavement | AST, Str. Concrete,<br>Shoulder Drain,<br>Sediment Control Stone | AST, Sediment Control Stone | Asphalt Plant Mix | Asphalt Plant Mix |                |                                       |

Page 10-126, Table 1078-1, REQUIREMENTS FOR CONCRETE, replace with the following:

| TABLE 1078-1 REQUIREMENTS FOR CONCRETE    |   |   |  |  |  |  |
|---|---|---|--|--|--|--|
| Property                                  | 28 Day Design<br>Compressive<br>Strength<br>6,000 psi or less | 28 Day Design Compressive Strength greater than 6,000 psi |  |  |  |  |
| Maximum Water/Cementitious Material Ratio | 0.45  | 0.40  |  |  |  |  |
| Maximum Slump without HRWR                | 3.5"  | 3.5"  |  |  |  |  |
| Maximum Slump with HRWR                   | 8"  | 8"  |  |  |  |  |
| Air Content (upon discharge into forms)   | 5 + 2%  | 5 + 2%  |  |  |  |  |

Page 10-162, Subarticle 1081-1(A) Classifications, lines 4-7, delete the second and third sentences of the description for Type 3A.

Page 10-162, Subarticle 1081-1(B) Requirements, lines 26-30, replace the second paragraph with the following:

For epoxy resin systems used for embedding dowel bars, threaded rods, rebar, anchor bolts and other fixtures in hardened concrete, the manufacturer shall submit test results showing that the bonding system will obtain 125% of the specified required yield strength of the fixture. Furnish certification that, for the particular bolt grade, diameter and embedment depth required, the anchor system will not fail by adhesive failure and that there is no movement of the anchor bolt. For certification and anchorage, use 3,000 psi as the minimum Portland cement concrete compressive strength used in this test. Use adhesives that meet Section 1081.

List the properties of the adhesive on the container and include density, minimum and maximum temperature application, setting time, shelf life, pot life, shear strength and compressive strength.

Page 10-169, Subarticle 1081-3(G) Anchor Bolt Adhesives, delete this subarticle.

Page 10-204, Subarticle 1092-2(A) Performance and Test Requirements, replace Table 1092-3 Minimum Coefficient of Retroreflection for NC Grade A with the following:

# TABLE 1092-3 MINIMUM COEFFICIENT OF RETROREFLECTION FOR NC GRADE A (Candelas Per Lux Per Square Meter)

| Observation<br>Angle, degrees | Entrance<br>Angle,<br>degrees | White | Yellow | Green | Red | Blue | Fluorescent<br>Yellow Green | Fluorescent<br>Yellow |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------|--------|-------|-----|------|-----------------------------|-----------------------|
| 0.2                           | -4.0                          | 525   | 395    | 52    | 95  | 30   | 420                         | 315                   |
| 0.2                           | 30.0                          | 215   | 162    | . 22  | 43  | 10   | 170                         | 130                   |
| 0.5                           | -4.0                          | 310   | 230    | : 31  | 56  | 18   | 245                         | 185                   |
| 0.5                           | 30.0                          | 135   | 100    | 14    | 27  | 6    | 110                         | 81                    |
| 1.0                           | -4.0                          | 120   | 60     | 8     | 16  | 3.6  | 64                          | 48                    |
| 1.0                           | 30.0                          | 45    | 34     | 4.5   | 9   | 2    | 36                          | 27                    |

# **GUIDELINES FOR LANE WIDTH ON RESURFACING PROJECTS IN DIVISION FIVE:**

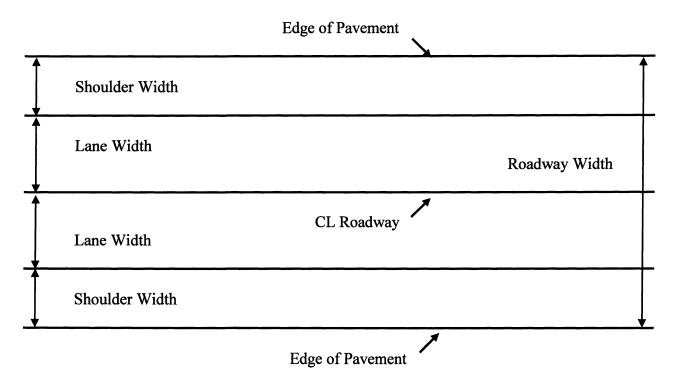
The Contractor shall place the pavement markings in accordance with this table and detail unless otherwise directed by the Engineer.

# **TWO-LANE ROADWAY**

| <b>ROADWAY WIDTH</b> | <b>LANE WIDTH</b> | <b>SHOULDER WIDTH</b> |
|----------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|
| 18'                  | 9'*               | 0'                    |
| 20'                  | 10'*              | 0'                    |
| 22'                  | 10'               | 1'                    |
| 24'                  | 10'               | 2'                    |
| 26'                  | 11'               | 2'                    |
| 28'                  | 12'               | 2'                    |
| 32'                  | 12'               | 4'                    |

<sup>\*</sup>May vary due to pavement width.

# SCHEMATIC OF ROADWAY (Not to Scale)



# EROSION AND STORMWATER CONTROL FOR SHOULDER CONSTRUCTION AND RECONSTRUCTION:

(11-16-10) (Rev. 8-21-12)

105-16, 225-2, Division 16

SP16 R03R

Land disturbing operations associated with shoulder construction/reconstruction may require erosion and sediment control/stormwater measure installation. National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) inspection and reporting may be required.

Erosion control measures shall be installed per the erosion control detail in any area where the vegetated buffer between the disturbed area and surface waters (streams, wetlands, or open waters) or drainage inlet is less than 10 feet. The Engineer may reduce the vegetated buffer threshold for this requirement to a value between 5 and 10 feet. Erosion control measures shall be spot checked every 14 days until permanent vegetative establishment.

In areas where shoulder construction/reconstruction includes disturbance or grading on the front slope or to the toe of fill, relocating ditch line or backslope, or removing vegetation from the ditch line or swale, NPDES inspection and monitoring are required every 14 days or within 24 hours of a rainfall event of 0.5" or greater. Maintain daily rainfall records. Install erosion control measures per detail.

In areas where the vegetated buffer is less than 10 feet between the disturbed area and waters of the State classified as High Quality Water (HQW), Outstanding Resource Water (ORW), Critical Areas, or Unique Wetlands, NPDES inspection and monitoring are required every 14 days or within 24 hours of a rainfall event of 0.5" or greater. The Engineer may reduce the vegetated buffer threshold for this requirement to a value between 5 and 10 feet. The plans or provisions will indicate the presence of these water classifications. Maintain daily rainfall records. Install erosion control measures per detail.

Land disturbances hardened with aggregate materials receiving sheet flow are considered non-erodible.

Sites that require lengthy sections of silt fence may substitute with rapid permanent seeding and mulching as directed by the Engineer.

NPDES documentation shall be performed by a Level II Erosion and Sediment Control/Stormwater certificate holder.

Materials used for erosion control will be measured and paid as stated in the contract.