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# PORTLAND CEMENT CONCRETE PAVEMENT

# PART 1 - GENERAL

## 1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Pavement
- B. Curb and Gutter

## 1.02 DESCRIPTION OF WORK

Includes the requirements for the construction of full depth PCC pavement and curb and gutter.

# 1.03 SUBMITTALS

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants, as well as the following:

- A. Two weeks prior to commencing any PCC pavement placement, submit a paving mix design for each different source of aggregate to be used for review and approval by the Engineer. Submit mixes or mix designs approved by the Iowa Department of Transportation or an independent testing laboratory.
- B. Maturity curves for paving mixes and maturity reading results.
- C. Submit all testing and certifications according to Section 7010, 3.07.

# 1.04 SUBSTITUTIONS

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants.

# 1.05 DELIVERY, STORAGE, HANDLING, AND SALVAGING

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants, as well as the following:

- A. Aggregate Storage: Comply with lowa DOT Article 2301.02, C.
- B. Cement and Fly Ash: Comply with lowa DOT Article 2301.02, C.
- C. Admixtures: Store in suitable weather tight enclosures which will preserve quality.
- **D.** Reinforcing Steel: Store off ground on timbers or other supports.

#### 1.06 SCHEDULING AND CONFLICTS

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants, as well as the following:

Complete elements of the work that can affect line and grade in advance of other open cut construction unless noted on plans.

#### 1.07 SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS

None

# 1.08 MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT

#### A. PCC Pavement:

- 1. **Measurement:** Measurement will be in square yards for each different thickness of PCC pavement. The area of manholes, intakes, or other fixtures in the pavement will not be deducted from the measured pavement area.
- **2. Payment:** Payment will be at the unit price per square yard for each thickness of PCC pavement.

# 1.08 MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT (Continued)

**3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, final trimming of subgrade or subbase, integral curb, bars and reinforcement, joints and sealing, surface curing and pavement protection, safety fencing, concrete for rigid headers, boxouts for fixtures, pavement smoothness testing, and quality control for stringless paving.

# B. Air Content Deficiency:

- 1. **Measurement:** Measurement will be in square yards for each different thickness of PCC pavement subject to a unit price reduction for air content deficiency according to Section 7010, 3.07.
- 2. **Payment:** Payment will be at the reduced unit price according to Table 7010.03 for each thickness of PCC pavement. If there is an air content deficiency on a privately contracted roadway project, the Jurisdiction ultimately accepting ownership of the roadway will receive the penalty payment prior to acceptance of the work.

# C. Pavement Smoothness Deficiency:

- 1. **Measurement:** Measurement will be in square yards for each different thickness of PCC pavement subject to a unit price reduction for pavement smoothness according to Section 7010, 3.07.
- 2. **Payment:** Payment will be at the reduced unit price according to Table 7010.04 for each thickness of PCC pavement. If there is a pavement smoothness deficiency on a privately contracted roadway project, the Jurisdiction ultimately accepting ownership of the roadway will receive the penalty payment prior to acceptance of the work.

#### D. PCC Pavement Thickness Deficiency:

- **1. Measurement:** Measurement will be in square yards for each different thickness of PCC pavement that has deficient pavement thickness as determined in Table 7010.05.
- 2. **Payment:** Payment will be at the percentage of the unit price indicated in Table 7010.05 for each different thickness of PCC pavement. If there is a pavement thickness deficiency on a privately contracted roadway project, the Jurisdiction ultimately accepting ownership of the roadway will receive the penalty payment prior to acceptance of the work.

#### E. Curb and Gutter:

- **1. Measurement:** Measurement will be in linear feet measured along the face of the curb for each different width and thickness of curb and gutter.
- 2. Payment: Payment will be at the unit price per linear feet of curb and gutter.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, final subgrade/subbase preparation, bars and reinforcement, joints and sealing, surface curing and pavement protection, and boxouts for fixtures.

#### F. Beam Curb:

- 1. **Measurement:** Measurement will be in linear feet measured along the face of the curb.
- 2. Payment: Payment will be at the unit price per linear feet of beam curb.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, final subgrade/subbase preparation, bars and reinforcement, joints and sealing, surface curing and pavement protection, and boxouts for fixtures.

# 1.08 MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT (Continued)

#### G. Concrete Median:

- 1. **Measurement:** Measurement will be in square yards of concrete median. When the curb is integral with the pavement, the width will be measured from back of curb to back of curb.
- 2. Payment: Payment will be at the unit price per square yard of concrete median.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, final subgrade/subbase preparation, bars and reinforcement, joints and sealing, surface curing and pavement protection, and boxouts for fixtures.

# H. PCC Railroad Crossing Approach:

- 1. **Measurement:** Measurement will be in square yards of railroad crossing approach.
- **2. Payment:** Payment will be at the unit price per square yard of railroad crossing approach.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, excavation for modified subbase and subdrain, furnishing and installing subdrain, furnishing and installing subdrain outlet or connection to storm sewer, furnishing and installing porous backfill material, furnishing and installing fiber board barrier, furnishing and placing modified subbase material, furnishing and installing reinforcing steel and tie bars, furnishing and placing concrete, furnishing, placing, and compacting HMA.

# I. PCC Pavement Samples and Testing:

- 1. **Measurement:** Lump sum item; no measurement will be made.
- **2. Payment:** Payment will be at the lump sum price for PCC pavement samples and testing.
- **3. Includes:** Lump sum price includes, but is not limited to, certified plant inspection, pavement thickness cores, profilograph pavement smoothness measurement (when required by the contract documents), and maturity testing.
- **J. Granular Surfacing:** Comply with <u>Section 7030</u> for granular surfacing material placed at intersecting roads, driveways, and turnouts.

#### K. PCC Pavement Widening:

- 1. **Measurement:** Measurement will be in square yards for each different thickness of PCC pavement widening. The area of manholes, intakes, or other fixtures in the pavement will not be deducted from the measured pavement widening area.
- **2. Payment:** Payment will be at the unit price per square yard for each thickness of PCC pavement widening.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, final subgrade/subbase preparation, integral curb, bars and reinforcement, joints and sealing, surface curing and pavement protection, safety fencing, concrete for rigid headers, boxouts for fixtures, and pavement smoothness.
- L. Pavement Removal: Comply with Section 7040.
- **M. Fixture Adjustment:** Comply with <u>Section 6010</u> for adjustment of manholes and intakes and <u>Section 5020</u> for adjustment of water valves and fire hydrants.

# PART 2 - PRODUCTS

## 2.01 MATERIALS

A. Cement: Meet the requirements of <u>lowa DOT Section 4101</u> and <u>Materials I.M. 401</u>, including Type I and Type II cements and blended hydraulic cements Type 1P, Type 1S, and Type 1L.

# B. Supplementary Cementitious Materials (SCM):

- 1. Fly Ash: Comply with <u>lowa DOT Section 4108</u>.
- 2. Ground Granulated Blast Furnace Slag (GGBFS): Comply with <u>lowa DOT Section</u> <u>4108</u>.
- 3. Limestone: Comply with <u>lowa DOT Materials I.M. 401</u>.

# C. Fine Aggregate for Concrete:

- 1. Meet the requirements of <u>lowa DOT Section 4110</u> and <u>Materials I.M. 409</u>, Source Approvals for Aggregates.
- 2. Comply with the following gradation:

Sieve Size	Percent Passing	
3/8"	100	
No. 4	90 to 100	
No. 8	70 to 100	
No. 30 10 to 60		
No. 200	0 to 1.5	
Iowa DOT Article 4109.02, Gradation No. 1 in the Aggregate Gradation Table.		

3. The Engineer may authorize a change in gradation, subject to materials available locally at the time of construction.

# D. Coarse Aggregate for Concrete:

- 1. Crushed stone particles with Class 2 durability complying with <u>lowa DOT Section 4115</u> and <u>Materials I.M. 409</u>, Source Approvals for Aggregates.
- 2. Comply with one of the following gradations:

Sieve Size	Gradation No. 3 Percent Passing	Gradation No. 4 Percent Passing	Gradation No. 5 Percent Passing
1 1/2"	100	100	
1"	95 to 100	50 to 100	100
3/4"		30 to 100	90 to 100
1/2"	25 to 60	20 to 75	
3/8"		5 to 55	20 to 55
No. 4	0 to 10	0 to 10	0 to 10
No. 8	0 to 5	0 to 5	0 to 5
No. 200	0 to 1.5	0 to 1.5	0 to 1.5
Iowa DOT Article 4109.02, Gradation No. 3, 4, and 5 in the Aggregate Gradation Table.			

3. The Engineer may authorize a change in gradation, subject to materials available locally at the time of construction.

# 2.01 MATERIALS (Continued)

- E. Intermediate Aggregate for Concrete: Use if specified in contract documents.
  - 1. Meet the requirements of <u>lowa DOT Section 4112</u> and <u>Materials I.M. 409</u>, Source Approvals for Aggregates.
  - 2. For crushed limestone or dolomite, meet the durability class required for the coarse aggregate. When gravel durability is lower than the coarse aggregate durability requirements, pea gravel is not to exceed 15% of the total aggregate mix.
  - 3. Comply with the following aggregate gradation:

Sieve Size	Percent Passing	
1/2"	95 to 100	
3/8"		
No. 4		
No. 8	0 to 10	
Iowa DOT Article 4109.02, Gradation No. 2 in the Aggregate Gradation Table		

- 4. The Engineer may authorize a change in gradation subject to materials locally available at the time of construction.
- **F. Water Requirements:** Comply with <u>lowa DOT Section 4102</u>. Potable water obtained from a municipal supply, suitable for drinking, may be accepted without testing.
- **G.** Admixtures: Meet the requirements for the liquid admixtures shown below. Other admixtures may be used subject to the approval of the Engineer.
  - 1. Air Entrainment Admixture: Comply with lowa DOT Section 4103.
  - 2. Retarding and Water Reducing Admixtures: Comply with lowa DOT Section 4103.
  - 3. Accelerating admixtures (calcium chloride): Comply with lowa DOT Article 2529.02.
- H. Bars: Comply with <u>lowa DOT Section 4151</u> for metallic tie bars and dowel bars or <u>lowa DOT</u> <u>Section 4156</u> for glass fiber reinforced polymer dowel bars. Meet the tie bar requirements for bar mats. All metallic bars must be epoxy coated.
- I. Expansion Tubes: Comply with lowa DOT Section 4191.
- J. Metal Keyways: Comply with lowa DOT Section 4191.
- K. Supports for Bars: Comply with lowa DOT Materials I.M. 451.01.
- L. Joint Fillers and Sealers:
  - 1. Joint Sealers: Comply with lowa DOT Article 4136.02.
  - 2. Preformed Expansion Joint Fillers and Sealers: Use the following types of preformed materials for filling expansion joints that comply with <u>lowa DOT Article 4136.03</u>. When the type is not specified, use a resilient filler.
    - Resilient filler
    - Flexible foam expansion joint filler
    - Tire buffings expansion joint filler
    - Elastomeric joint seals

## 2.01 MATERIALS (Continued)

- M. Liquid Curing Compound: Comply with <u>lowa DOT Section 4105</u>.
- N. Covering:
  - 1. Burlap: Comply with lowa DOT Section 4104.
  - 2. Plastic Film: Comply with lowa DOT Section 4106.
  - 3. Insulating Cover: Comply with lowa DOT Section 4106.
- **O. Grout Systems:** Use polymer grouts that comply with <u>lowa DOT Materials I.M. 491.11</u>.

# 2.02 CONCRETE MIXES

#### A. Mix Design:

- 1. Comply with Iowa DOT Class C or Class M mix meeting the requirements of <u>Materials</u> <u>I.M. 529</u>. If higher durability mixes are specified, use C-SUD or CV-SUD mixes.
- 2. Ensure compatibility of all material combinations. If the concrete materials are not producing a workable concrete mixture, a change in the material may be required. Changes will be at no additional cost to the Contracting Authority.

# B. Consistency and Workability:

#### 1. Slump:

- a. Use an amount of mixing water that will produce workable concrete of uniform consistency. Unless specifically modified by the Engineer, ensure slump, measured according to <u>lowa DOT Materials I.M. 317</u>, is no less than 1/2 inch or no more than 2 1/2 inches for machine finish and no less than 1/2 inch and no more than 4 inches for hand finish.
- b. If it is not possible to produce concrete having the required consistency without exceeding the maximum allowable water to cement ratio specified, the cement content may be increased or water reducing admixture may be added. Obtain the Engineer's approval. Do not exceed the maximum water to cement ratio. Additional cement or water reducer will be added with no additional cost to the Contracting Authority.
- c. The basic absolute volume of water per unit volume of concrete is based on average conditions. If material characteristics require that the total quantity of water used to secure the required consistency reduces the batch yield (computed on the basis of absolute volumes of the batch quantities used) by more than 2.0%, the Engineer may adjust the proportions to correct the yield. This adjustment will not be a basis for adjustment of the contract unit price.
- 2. Air Content: Use an approved air entraining agent.
  - a. For machine-placed pavement, use a target air content of 8% with a tolerance of plus or minus 2% when measured on the grade just prior to consolidation, as determined by <u>lowa DOT Materials I.M. 318</u>. The target air content may be adjusted by the Engineer based on random tests of the consolidated concrete behind the paving machine. These additional tests will be used to consider the need for a target value change and will not be used in the acceptance decision.
  - b. For hand-placed pavement, use a target content for hand finish of 7% with a tolerance of plus or minus 1.5% when measured on the grade and just prior to consolidation, as determined by <u>lowa DOT Materials I.M. 318</u>.

# 2.02 CONCRETE MIXES (Continued)

# C. Use of Fly Ash and Ground Granulated Blast Furnace Slag (GGBFS) as Supplementary Cementitious Materials:

- Mix proportions for the various mixes using fly ash and GGBFS are included in <u>lowa DOT</u> <u>Materials I.M. 529</u>. The maximum allowable fly ash substitution rate is 20%. Do not use a GGBFS substitution rate of more than 35% by weight (mass). The total supplementary cementitious material substitution rate is not to exceed 40%.
- 2. If C-SUD or CV-SUD mixes are specified, the maximum allowable Class F fly ash substitution rate is 25% and the maximum Class C fly ash substitution rate is 35%. The maximum combination rate is 20% Class C fly ash and 20% GGBFS.
- 3. When Type IP or IS cement is used in the concrete mixture, only fly ash substitution will be allowed. Between October 16 and March 15, supplementary cementitious materials will be allowed only when maturity method is used to determine time of opening. Transport, store, haul, and batch fly ash and GGBFS in such a manner to keep it dry.

# PART 3 - EXECUTION

## 3.01 EQUIPMENT

- A. Batching and Mixing Equipment:
  - 1. General:
    - a. Weighing and Proportioning Equipment: Comply with lowa DOT Article 2001.20.
    - b. Mixing Equipment: Comply with lowa DOT Article 2001.21.
    - **c.** Material Bins: Involves any structure in which materials are stored. Each part of any bin, including foundations and supports, must be adequate to withstand any stress to which it might be subjected to while in use.

# 2. Batching:

- a. Ensure the batching plant is Iowa DOT calibrated and approved. Provide copy of current calibrations and approvals.
- b. Coordinate the batch plant operation and batch trucks with the paving operation in order to ensure a steady supply of materials.
- c. Operate the batch plant and trucks to minimize dust, noise, or truck nuisances.

# 3. Mixing:

# a. Construction or Stationary Mixer:

- Ensure the concrete is uniform in composition and consistency. If this condition is not produced because of the size of the batch, the size of the batch may be reduced or the mixing time increased, or both, until this result is obtained. If nonuniform, corrective action must be taken.
- 2) Ensure the methods of delivering and handling the concrete are such that objectionable segregation or damage to the concrete will not occur, and they will facilitate placing with a minimum of handling.

# b. Ready Mixed Concrete:

- 1) Ensure the concrete is uniform in composition and consistency. If non-uniform, concrete producers must take corrective action.
- 2) Ready mixed concrete is defined as concrete proportioned in a central plant and mixed in a stationary mixer for transportation in trucks without agitation, proportioned at a central plant, and only partially mixed in a stationary mixer for transportation and finish mixing in a transit mixer, or proportioned at a central plant, and then mixed in a transit mixer prior to or during transit.
- 3) When necessary to add additional mixing water at the site of placement, mix the batch at least an additional 30 revolutions of the drum at mixing speed.
- 4) Ensure each vehicle in which concrete will be delivered is capable of discharging concrete having a slump not over 2 inches at an overall rate for its entire load of not less than 1.25 cubic yards per minute. Ensure the concrete is delivered at a rate sufficient to maintain a sustained rate of progress of not less than 100 feet per hour for the width and depth of pavement to be placed.
- **c.** All Methods: Identify each truck load by a plant charge ticket showing plant name, contractor, project data, quantity, class, time batched, and water added at site.

# B. Concrete Delivery Equipment:

- 1. General:
  - a. In handling concrete from the mixer to the place of deposit, take care to avoid segregation.
  - b. When concrete is deposited through a chute, slope the chute to allow concrete to flow slowly without segregation. Place the delivery point of the chute as close as possible to the point of deposit. Keep chutes and spouts clean. Thoroughly flush them with water before and after each run. Discharge the water outside the paving area in an approved concrete washout area.

# 3.01 EQUIPMENT (Continued)

- c. Provide alternate plan for concrete delivery in event of equipment failure.
- d. Take concrete samples from material placed on the subgrade or subbase.

## 2. Concrete Transfer Equipment:

- a. Utilize placers, conveyors, buckets, or buggies designed specifically for transporting concrete.
- b. Do not allow concrete to free fall into or out of transfer equipment.
- c. Meet the requirements of Section 7010, 2.02, B, 2 for air entrainment of the concrete mix and testing for compliance.

# 3. Concrete Pumps:

- a. Do not pump concrete through aluminum conduit or tubing.
- b. Use the concrete pump to deliver the material as close to horizontal as possible, keep restrictions and drops to a minimum, and avoid free fall.
- c. Meet the requirements of Section 7010, 2.02, B, 2 for air entrainment of the concrete mix and testing for compliance.
- d. Sample the first load after pumping a minimum of 3 cubic yards. Sample after each significant change in boom angle.
- e. Sample before and after the pump to determine if any changes in the slump and other significant mixture characteristics occur.
- f. When sampling at the end of the placement line, take care to ensure that the sample is representative of the concrete being placed from the pipeline. Note: Changes to the placement rate or boom configuration can result in changes in the concrete properties. Typically, the vertical position of the boom results in the greatest potential for air loss while the horizontal position of the boom has the least potential. Location of pumping equipment should be determined so that it is possible to maintain a consistent, low boom angle as much as possible during placement.
- g. If air test shows that air entrainment is outside of the allowed range, follow procedure as outlined in Section 7010, 3.07, B.
- h. Leaks in the line or pump hydraulics, which would allow air to be added to the concrete, are prohibited.

# C. Concrete Placement Equipment:

# 1. Consolidating and Finishing Equipment:

- a. Use a paving machine that meets all of the following:
  - 1) Is designed for the specific purpose of placing, consolidating, and finishing concrete pavement.
  - 2) Develops vertical edges on the pavement.
  - 3) Is self propelled and equipped with a means for spreading the concrete to a uniform depth before it enters the throat.
  - 4) Vibrates the concrete to the full width and depth being placed in a single passage. Use vibrating tubes or arms working in the concrete or a vibrating pan operating on the surface of the concrete.
  - 5) Produces a surface reasonably free of voids and tears.
  - 6) When the paver is operated on previously placed concrete, prevent damage to the pavement surface.
  - 7) For slip form pavers, use a paver equipped with automatic horizontal and vertical grade controls.
- b. Hand methods utilizing air screeds and vibrating screeds may be used for short pavement runs, cul-de-sacs, driveways, and some intersections.
- c. When allowed by the Engineer, use stringless paving equipment capable of providing the same accuracy necessary to comply with the requirements of Section 7010.

# 3.01 EQUIPMENT (Continued)

- d. Use a laser guided screed that meets all of the following:
  - 1) Designed for the specific purpose of placing and finishing of concrete pavement using a 3-dimensional surface model.
  - 2) All equipment for laser guided screed, including the guidance system, will meet the project design model tolerances.
  - Will provide consolidation to full width and full depth of concrete placement. Provide intermediate consolidation by using external hand held vibrators.
  - 4) Produces a surface reasonably free of voids and tears.
  - 5) Provide boom-style screed (drive-in screeds are not allowed) with an auger boom, placement head (water spray mechanism not allowed), guidance equipment, and software to produce 3-dimensional surface.
  - 6) Produces pavement smoothness as specified in Section 7010, 3.07, C.

# 2. Vibrators for Machine Paving:

- a. Consolidate, with a single pass of an approved internal or surface vibrator, the full width and depth of concrete requiring a finishing machine. Operate internal vibrators within a frequency range of 4,000 to 8,000 vibrations per minute. The Engineer may authorize the minimum vibration frequency to be lowered to 3,500 vibrations per minute for particular sections of paving, such as superelevations. Operate surface vibrators within a frequency range of 3,500 to 6,000 vibrations per minute.
- b. Avoid operating vibrators in a manner to cause a separation of the mix ingredients, either a downward displacement of large aggregate particles or an accumulation of laitance on the surface of the concrete. When forward motion of the paver is reduced, vibrator frequency may need to be reduced to avoid separation of the mix.
- c. If a vibrator fails to operate within the specifications, repair or change the vibrator before the paving begins:
  - The following day, or
  - The same day if the continuous paving that day is stopped at a header or at the end of a session.
- d. If two adjacent vibrators fail to operate within the specifications, stop the paving operation and repair or replace the vibrators.
- e. Stop vibrators whenever forward motion of the paver is stopped.
- f. Set the internal vibrator penetration depth into the concrete pavement to mid slab or as deep as possible while passing above reinforcing steel. Provide an operating position locking device so that no part of the vibrating unit can be lowered to the extent that it will come in contact with reinforcing steel or tie bars while paving.
- g. Do not exceed the manufacturer's recommendations for vibrator horizontal spacing. Do not exceed 16 inches from center to center.
- h. Mount the longitudinal axis of the vibrator body approximately parallel to the direction of paving. Tilt the trailing end of each vibrator downward to a slope of 10 to 30 degrees below horizontal.
- i. Use vibrators that meet or exceed the following specifications at the manufacturer's design frequency of 10,000 vpm:
  - 1) Amplitude (peak to peak) 0.070 inches.
  - 2) Centrifugal force 1,200 pounds.
- **3.** Vibrators for Hand Methods: Use a vibration rate between 3,500 to 6,000 vibrations per minute, and use an amplitude sufficient to be perceptible on the surface of the concrete more than 12 inches from the vibrating unit.
- **4. Hand Finishing Equipment:** Provide all finishing tools necessary for proper finishing of the concrete including straightedges for checking and correcting finished concrete surfaces.

# 3.01 EQUIPMENT (Continued)

# 5. Forms:

- **a. Rigid Forms:** Steel, minimum thickness of 5 gage, height at least equal to design thickness of pavement with base width at least 6 inches.
  - 1) Minimum section length of 10 feet, joint connections designed to allow horizontal and vertical adjustment with locking device to hold abutting sections firmly in alignment.
  - 2) Bracing, support, and staking must prevent deflection or movement of forms.
- **b.** Flexible Forms: Use steel or wood flexible forms for curves with a radius less than 100 feet.
  - 1) Bracing, support, and staking must prevent deflection or movement of forms.
  - 2) Ensure that forms used to shape back of curbs at returns have height at least equal to design thickness of pavement and curb height.
  - 3) Forms must be free from scale and surface irregularities.
- 6. Curing Equipment: Use pressure sprayer capable of applying a continuous uniform film of curing compound. Use equipment with a shield if wind conditions do not allow proper coverage
- 7. Concrete Saws: Use power operated concrete saws capable of cutting hardened concrete neatly.
- **8.** Joint Sealing Equipment: Use equipment capable of cleaning the joint and heating and installing sealant in joints according to manufacturer's recommendations.

# 3.02 PAVEMENT CONSTRUCTION

A. Removal of Pavement: Comply with Section 7040, 3.02.

## B. Final Subgrade/Subbase Preparation:

#### 1. General:

- a. Meet the requirements of <u>Section 2010</u> for subgrade construction, subgrade treatment, and subbase construction.
- b. Trim the subgrade or subbase to the final grade for placement of concrete.
- c. Unless otherwise ordered by the Engineer, the subgrade or subbase, at time of placing concrete for concrete pavement, must be in a uniformly moist but not muddy condition to a depth of not less than 1 inch.

#### 2. Subgrade and Subbase Loading:

- a. Travel of concrete delivery trucks on a subgrade or subbase must be approved by the Engineer. In such cases, watering of the subgrade or subbase must be limited to just ahead of the paving machine.
- b. Enter and exit from side streets to minimize repetitive loading on the subgrade or subbase by concrete trucks.
- c. Do not allow loads in excess of the legal axle load on the completed subgrade or subbase.
- d. Partially loaded trucks may be required.
- e. If subgrade or subbase failure occurs, coordinate the repair with the Engineer.

# 3. Paving Suspended:

- a. Suspend the paving operation where subgrade or subbase stability has been lost.
- b. Do not place concrete on a subgrade or subbase that has become unstable, bears ruts or tire marks of equipment, or that is excessively softened by rain until such subgrade or subbase has been reconsolidated and reshaped to correct the objectionable condition.

- c. If necessary, scarify to a minimum depth of 6 inches, aerating, and recompacting at no additional cost to the Contracting Authority. Meet the compaction requirements of <u>Section 2010, 3.06</u>.
- 4. Maintenance of Subgrade or Subbase: Maintain the completed subgrade or subbase during subsequent construction activities.

## C. Surface Fixture Adjustment:

- Adjust manhole frames and other fixtures within area to be paved to conform to finished surface. Comply with <u>Section 6010, 3.04</u> for manhole adjustments and <u>Section 5020</u>, <u>3.04</u> for water fixture adjustments.
- 2. Clean outside of fixture to depth of pavement before concrete placement.
- 3. Construct boxouts where allowed for later adjustment of fixtures. See Figure 7010.103 for the size and shape of the boxout.
- **D.** Setting of Forms: When forms are used, meet the following requirements.
  - 1. Ensure forms have sufficient strength to support paving operations being used.
  - 2. Set base of forms at or below subgrade elevation with top of forms at pavement surface elevation. With Engineer approval, extra height forms may be used to shape the back of integral curb and edge of pavement; set base at or below subgrade elevation with top of form at top of curb elevation.
  - 3. Place and secure forms to required grade and alignment. Do not vary the top face of the form from a true plane by more than 1/8 inch in 10 feet, and do not vary the vertical face from a true plane by more than 1/4 inch in 10 feet.
  - 4. If the soil supporting the forms is softened by rain or standing water so that the forms are inadequately supported, or if voids occur under the forms, remove forms. Rework subgrade to proper elevation and density, and reinstall forms.
  - 5. Ensure forms are free of latent concrete and coated with release agent before concrete is placed.
- E. Bar and Reinforcement Placement: Ensure bars are clean, straight, free from distortion and rust, and are firmly secured in position as specified in the contract documents. Place all bars in approved storage to prevent damage; do not distribute along the work site except as needed to avoid delay in paving.

#### 1. Tie Bars:

- a. Place bars prior to vibration. For slip form paving, tie bars may be installed after vibration, provided the concrete is consolidated around the bars. Bars may be supported by approved chairs or may be placed in position by a machine or method approved by the Engineer.
- b. Use approved continuous bolsters with runners to support reinforcement for bridge approach sections. Place the supports transversely across the approach and space them longitudinally no greater than 4 feet. For double reinforced approach sections the top layer of reinforcing may be chaired off the bottom layer of reinforcing using approved continuous high chairs with runners, provided they are positioned directly above the continuous bolsters with runners supporting the bottom layer of reinforcing. Hold epoxy coated reinforcing steel in place with epoxy or plastic coated bar supports and epoxy or plastic coated tie wires.

## 2. Dowel Bar Assemblies:

- a. When dowel bar assemblies are required in the contract documents, accurately place these assemblies as shown. To prevent their movement during subsequent concrete paving operations, securely stake or fasten to the base to line and grade.
- b. Do not use assemblies that are damaged prior to placement. If assemblies are damaged after placement, replace prior to paving. Ensure horizontal and vertical alignment of the load transfer bars does not exceed 1/4 inch from parallel to line and grade. Place each assembly so the bars are in a horizontal plane at  $T/2 \pm 1/2$  inch.
- c. Check the placement of each assembly and the position of the bars within the assembly using a suitable template or other device approved by the Engineer. If the assembly is found to be placed outside of the above tolerances, correct the placement.
- d. Cutting the tie wires of the load transfer assemblies is optional.

# 3. Bar Mats for Reinforced Pavement:

- a. When reinforced pavement is specified, assemble bar mats accordingly and firmly fastened together at all bar intersections.
- b. Place, secure, latch, and tie bar mats for a continuous mat as specified in the contract documents. Displacement during concrete placement operations is not allowed.
- c. Use chairs to ensure proper placement of bar mats.

# 4. Tie Bars and Dowel Bars in Existing Pavement:

- a. When anchoring in existing concrete, use a grout system according to the manufacturer's instructions. Obtain the Engineer's approval for the grout system.
- b. For horizontal installations, use either a pressure injection system with mechanical proportioning and mixing, or use encapsulated chemical anchors. Install as follows:
  - Ensure drilled holes to receive the grout match the dimensions and spacing specified in the contract documents. When not specified in the contract documents, the maximum nominal diameter of the hole must be 1/8 inch larger than the outside diameter of the dowel or bar, or as recommended by the manufacturer. Drill holes for tie bars and dowel bars into the face of the existing pavement at midpoint. To ensure proper horizontal alignment, do not allow any hole misalignments to exceed 1/4 inch in the vertical or horizontal plane. Clean the hole with compressed air immediately prior to placing the grout.
  - 2) Use a polymer grout to secure the dowels in the existing pavement. Inject the grout into the rear of the hole with pressure. Use sufficient grout so that when the bar to be grouted is placed in position, excess grout will be forced out the front of the hole. Rotate the bar during the insertion process to ensure complete coating with the grouting material. Hand proportioning and mixing is not allowed.
  - 3) If using grout with approved encapsulated anchors, install according to the manufacturer's recommendations.
  - Use horizontal installation procedures for vertical or angled installations; however, pourable grouts may be used. Pourable grouts must be mechanically mixed.

# F. Concrete Pavement Placement:

- 1. Use paving machine for all uniform width pavements 8 1/2 feet or more in width and 250 feet or more in length, unless alternate methods are approved by the Engineer. Screeds and laser guided screeds may be used on short pavement runs up to 250 feet.
- 2. Place, consolidate, and finish the concrete to the full depth and width conforming to the specified crown and cross-section in a single operation.

- 3. Keep a uniform pile of concrete in front of the paving machine, up to a maximum of 6 to 8 inches above the design surface elevation. Distribute and spread the concrete as soon as placed. A mechanical concrete spreader may be used.
- 4. Deposit the concrete upon the in-place bars keeping segregation to a minimum.
- 5. Use shovels, not rakes, to do necessary hand spreading and spading.
- 6. Do not allow the edges of pavement, including all longitudinal construction joints, to deviate from the line shown on the plans by more than 1/2 inch at any point.
- 7. If the paving machine operates on adjacent pavement, protect pavement from damage.
- 8. When placing by hand methods, consolidate the concrete by using vibrating units. Use a definite system or pattern in the operation of the vibrator so the full width of concrete in each linear foot of lane will receive adequate and uniform consolidation. The system and methods of vibrating is subject to approval of the Engineer. Do not use vibrating equipment as a tool for moving concrete laterally.
- 9. Stringless Paving:
  - a. Provide an electronic file identifying x, y, and z coordinates for curbs and pavement edges, as well as pavement centerline based on project alignments and elevations.
  - b. Location and elevation of the finished slab should be verified against grade check hubs at 25 foot intervals for the first 100 feet of each days run and at critical locations, such as intakes and through intersections where grades may be flat. The Engineer may waive these requirements if experience has shown compliance with the design elevations.
  - c. Record each verification check and submit to the Engineer.
  - d. At the beginning of paving operations on the project or after each modification to the paving machine, verify the paving equipment is calibrated per the manufacturer's recommendations.
- **G. Integral Curbs:** Integral curbs are placed with the pavement in a single paving machine operation; however, hand methods may be allowed for radius, returns, and sections of curb and gutter 100 feet or less in length or in other special sections where mechanical equipment cannot be used.
  - 1. Pave, edge, protect, saw, and cure curb in same manner as pavement.
  - 2. Finish curb as rapidly as finishing operations on pavement permit. Maximum distance behind paving machine is 100 feet.
  - 3. Complete final finish on curbs by hand methods, including the use of a 6 foot straightedge.
  - 4. Check surfaces of curb and gutter with 10 foot straightedge; correct variations greater than 1/8 inch. Ensure top of curb slopes to street when Class A sidewalk will be constructed adjacent to the curb.
  - 5. For drop curb at driveways and where sidewalks intersect streets, use forms to shape the backs of such curbs.
  - 6. When using hand methods for building curb, the following additional requirements will apply:
    - a. Remove free water, latency, dust, leaves, or other foreign matter from the slab prior to placing concrete for curb.

- b. Use freshly mixed concrete; do not store concrete in receptacles at side of pavement for use in curb at a later time; do not use concrete requiring retempering.
- c. Consolidate curb concrete to obtain adequate bond with the pavement slab and to eliminate honeycomb in the curb. Avoid disturbing the alignment of forms or the gutter flow line.
- **H. PCC Railroad Crossing Approach:** Construct according to Section 7010 and Figure 7010.903. Construct HMA section according to the full depth patch requirements of <u>Section 7040</u>.
- I. Finishing:
  - 1. **Grade and Crown:** Promptly after concrete has been placed and vibrated, strike off the surface to the true section by the screed. Finish the surface true to crown and grade.
  - 2. Watering the Surface: The practice of lubricating the pavement surface by sprinkling water by spray, brush, or other methods to afford greater ease in finishing operation is not allowed.
  - **3.** Floats: Finish surface with wood or magnesium floats; finish from both sides simultaneously if pavement is placed to full width with one pass of paving machine.
  - 4. Straightedging:
    - a. After the longitudinal floating has been completed and the excess water has been removed, and while the concrete is still plastic, test the pavement surface for trueness.
    - b. Immediately fill any depressions found with freshly mixed concrete, struck off, consolidated, and refinished.
    - c. Check surface longitudinally while concrete is still plastic; correct any surface deviations greater than 1/8 inch in 10 feet.

#### 5. Surface Treatment:

- **a. Drag Surface Treatment:** Unless otherwise specified, texture the finished surface with an artificial turf or burlap drag treatment.
  - 1) Pull the artificial turf or burlap drag longitudinally over the finished surface to produce a tight, uniform, textured surface, and round the edges in a workmanlike manner.
  - 2) Remove the artificial turf or burlap drag from the pavement surface at regular intervals and clean with water to remove accumulated concrete from the fabric in order to maintain a consistent finished texture.
  - 3) When the desired texture is not attained, the Engineer may require the final finish be a broom finish.
- **b.** Surface Tining: When surface tining is specified, use a longitudinal tining. Under special circumstances, when specified in the contract documents, transverse tining may be required.
  - 1) Longitudinal:
    - a) Complete longitudinal surface tining using a machine with a wire broom or comb. For small or irregular areas, or during equipment breakdown, hand methods may be used. Use a broom or comb with a single row of tines 1/8 inch (+/- 1/64 inch) in width and uniformly spaced at 3/4 inch intervals. The depth of the grooves must be a minimum of 1/8 inch to a maximum of 3/16 inch in the plastic concrete.
    - b) Use equipment with horizontal and vertical string line controls to ensure straight grooves.
    - c) Conduct this operation at such time and in such manner that the desired surface texture will be achieved while minimizing displacement of the larger aggregate particles and before the surface permanently sets.
    - d) At longitudinal joints, leave a 2 to 3 inch wide strip of pavement surface (centered along the joint) that is not grooved for the length of the joint.

- 2) Transverse:
  - a) If transverse surface tining is required or allowed, use a machine with a wire broom or comb. For small or irregular areas, or during equipment breakdown, hand methods may be used. Use a broom or comb with a single row of tines 1/8 inch (+/- 1/64 inch) in width and randomly spaced from 3/8 inch to 1 5/8 inch with no more than 50% of the spacing exceeding 1 inch. The depth of the grooves must be a minimum of 1/8 inch to a maximum of approximately 3/16 inch in the plastic concrete.
  - b) Conduct this operation at such time and in such manner that the desired surface texture will be achieved while minimizing displacement of the larger aggregate particles and before the surface permanently sets.
  - c) Where abutting pavement is to be placed, the tining should extend as close to the edge as possible without damaging the edge.
  - d) If abutting pavement is not to be placed, do not tine the 6 inch area nearest the edge or 1 foot from the face of the curb.
- 6. Edge Finish: Before the concrete has taken its initial set, finish all edges of the pavement with an 1/8 inch radius edging tool.
- 7. Honeycomb Repair: When paving without forms, fill any honeycombed area immediately with freshly mixed concrete and work into the slab prior to initial set and the application of curing. Failure to do so may prompt the Engineer to declare the work defective and cause it to be removed and replaced at no additional cost to the Contracting Authority.

#### J. Surface Curing:

- 1. Apply liquid curing compound in a fine spray to form a continuous, uniform film on the horizontal surface and vertical edges of pavement, curbs, and back of curbs immediately after surface moisture has disappeared, but no later than 30 minutes after finishing. With approval of the Engineer, the timing of cure application may be adjusted due to varying weather conditions and concrete mix properties to ensure acceptable macrotexture is achieved.
  - a. Use a white pigment liquid curing compound for concrete not receiving an asphalt overlay. When specified in the contract documents, use a linseed oil solution.
  - b. Use a dark-colored curing compound for concrete receiving an asphalt overlay.
- Apply compound with power sprayer; rate of application not less than 15 square yards per gallon (0.067 gallon per square yard); do not dilute compound. For concrete receiving an asphalt overlay, use a minimum rate for dark-colored cure of 12.5 square yards per gallon (0.08 gallon per square yards).
- 3. Ensure liquid curing materials are well agitated in the supply drum or tank immediately before transfer to the sprayer. Keep curing materials well agitated during application.
- 4. Hand operated sprayers may be used for small and irregular areas.
- 5. If forms are used, apply to pavement edges and back of curbs within 30 minutes after forms are removed.
- 6. If, due to other operations, the coating is damaged within 72 hours after being applied, immediately re-coat the affected areas. Coating of the sawed surface with curing compound will not be allowed on joints that are to be sealed. When pavement is opened to traffic prior to 72 hours after application of the curing coating, a re-coating will not be required.

# K. Construction of Joints:

#### 1. General:

- a. Construct joints of the type, dimensions, and at the locations specified in the contract documents. See the <u>7010 figures</u>.
- b. Place longitudinal joints coincident with or parallel to the pavement centerline.

- c. Place all transverse joints at right angles to the centerline and extend the full width of the pavement.
- d. Place all joints perpendicular to the finished grade of the pavement and do not allow the alignment across the joint to vary from a straight line by more than 1 inch.
- e. Exercise care in placing, consolidating, and finishing the concrete at all joints.

# 2. Saw Joints:

- a. Mark joint locations with a string line before sawing.
- b. Begin transverse joint sawing as soon as the concrete has hardened sufficiently to allow sawing without raveling or moving of aggregate. Saw joints before uncontrolled cracking takes place.
- c. Saw all joints in a single cutting operation for a specific joint. Make saw cuts true to line and to the dimensions specified in the contract documents.
- d. Discontinue sawing a joint if a crack develops ahead of the saw.
- e. Saw longitudinal joints within 24 hours of the concrete being placed.
- f. If necessary, continue the sawing operations both day and night.
- g. The concrete must be capable of supporting the sawing operations to allow the use of an early green concrete saw.
- h. Repair or replace pavement with uncontrolled or random cracking at no additional cost to the Contracting Authority. Use repair methods approved by the Engineer. Repair or replace at the direction of the Engineer.
- i. Use wet sawing for dust control when specified in the contract documents.
- j. Where boxouts occur in pavement, construct joints as shown on Figures 7010.103 and 7010.904.

# 3. Construction Joints:

- a. Place longitudinal and transverse construction joints where specified in the contract documents, at boxouts, and at headers.
- b. Locate and place forms for boxouts on grade prior to paving as shown on <u>Figures</u> <u>7010.103</u> and <u>7010.904</u>.
- c. Construct a Days Work (DW) or a Rigid Tie (RT) transverse construction joint no closer than 5 feet of an existing or planned transverse contraction joint. Construct the DW or RT transverse construction joint if concrete placement is delayed for more than 30 minutes, at planned pavement gaps, or at the end of each day.
- d. Finish the edges of the pavement at construction joints with a 1/8 inch radius edging tool.

#### 4. Expansion Joints:

- a. Install expansion joints as specified in the contract documents.
- b. Prevent movement of or damage to joint assembly when placing concrete; set joint material low enough to clear the finish machine.
- c. Construct double width expansion joint in curb over expansion joint in pavement. The backside of the joint must be clear of concrete.
- d. Align the expansion joint straight and true. After the mechanical finishing equipment has passed over the joint, check the joint for movement. If movement in excess of 1/2 inch has occurred, immediately correct the installation to its intended position.
- e. If joint fillers are assembled in sections, or if joints as a whole are constructed in sections, do not allow offsets between adjacent fillers.
- f. Where more than one section is used in a joint, securely lace or clip the sections together.
- g. Supplemental vibration equipment is required for proper consolidation of the concrete.
- h. After the surface finishing has been completed, finish the edge of the joint with a 1/8 inch edging tool.

## L. Joint Sealing:

# 1. Timing:

- a. Unless otherwise allowed or approved by the Engineer, before any portion of the pavement is opened to the Contractor's equipment or to general traffic, clean and seal joints that require sealing.
- b. The Engineer may limit the wheel loads and axle loads of equipment operating on the pavement during this operation, if prior to the age and strength specified in Section 7010, 3.05. Additional tests to determine the pavement strength may be required.

# 2. Cleaning:

- a. For those joints that are not to be sealed, cleaning is not required.
- b. Within 3 hours after a joint has been wet sawed to the finished dimension, flush the wet sawing residue away from the sawed faces using a high pressure water blast operating with a minimum pressure of 1,000 pounds per square inch. Within 3 hours after a joint has been dry sawed to the finished dimension, blow the dry sawing residue from the joint using air compressors that provide moisture and oil free compressed air.
- c. Immediately prior to installation of sealant, clean joints with an air blast. Do not perform sealing until visual examination verifies the joint surfaces appear dry, in addition to being clear of dust and contamination.

# 3. Sealing:

- a. Prepare and install joint sealer in the joint and to the proper level specified in the contract documents and as recommended by the manufacturer.
- b. Heat hot-poured sealers in a thermostatically controlled heating kettle; heat the material to the temperature required for use, but not above that recommended by the manufacturer. After sealing, remove excess sealer from the pavement surface.
- c. Seal joints the same day they are cleaned. Apply sealant only when the joint surfaces appear dry by visual examination.
- d. Place joint sealer only when the pavement and ambient air temperatures are 40°F or above. When near this minimum, additional air blasting or drying time, or both, may be necessary to ensure a satisfactory bond to the joint faces. When this sealer cannot be properly placed due to late fall work, submit a joint construction plan and sealing details to the Engineer for approval before commencing paving. Delay the cleaning, sealing, and, if required, resawing of joints until the following spring. This delay requires the Engineer's approval.
- e. When surface correction is required, repair seals damaged from the corrective work. Joint preparation, cleaning, and sealing may be delayed until after corrective work, provided the pavement is not opened to traffic before corrective work is performed.
- **M. Pavement Backfill:** Following slipform paving operations, place backfill material along the pavement within 48 hours of pavement attaining opening strength or as directed by the Engineer to prevent flow of water and any subsequent damage caused by undermining of the pavement. Prior to placement of full backfill material, construct check dams or other protection as appropriate to ensure no damage to the subgrade and/or subbase occurs.

#### N. Form Removal:

#### 1. Timing:

- a. Remove forms after the initial set of the concrete has taken place.
- b. Remove stakes and forms with care to prevent cracking, spalling, or over stressing concrete. If damage does occur, repairs will be made as required by the Engineer.

#### 2. Honeycomb Repair:

a. When the forms are removed, fill honeycombs with mortar composed of 1 part cement and 2 parts fine aggregate by weight.

- b. If the honeycombing is to the degree and nature that it is considered by the Engineer as defective work, remove and replace at no additional cost to the Contracting Authority.
- 3. Paving Protection: In the area adjacent to the curbs and pavement edge, immediately place backfill after the forms are removed. Construct dams or other protection to ensure that no saturation or erosion of the subgrade under or near the pavement occurs. This may include check dams, pumping, etc.

# 3.03 CURB AND GUTTER CONSTRUCTION (See Figure 7010.102)

- A. Complete the construction of curb and gutter separate from pavement in the same manner as for pavement in Section 7010, 3.02.
- B. Use a paving machine for curb and gutter. For curb and gutter sections less than 250 feet, hand finish methods may be used.

# 3.04 PAVEMENT PROTECTION

- **A. Weather Conditions:** Do not place concrete when stormy or inclement weather or temperature prevents good workmanship. Temperature restrictions and protection requirements may be modified by the Engineer under unusual conditions.
  - 1. Cold Weather:
    - **a. Paving:** Do not place aggregates containing frozen lumps, and do not place concrete on a frozen subgrade or subbase. Take all necessary actions to prevent the pavement from freezing.
      - Concrete mixing and placement may be started, if weather conditions are favorable, when the air temperature is at least 34°F and rising. At the time of placement, concrete must have a temperature of at least 40°F.
      - 2) Stop mixing and placing when the air temperature is 38°F or less and falling or if the temperature stops rising and does not reach 38°F.
    - **b. Protection:** Prior to applying protection, cure all concrete pavement and curb/gutters, including exposed edges of the pavement and curb. In addition, protect concrete less than 36 hours old as follows:

Night Temperature Forecast	Type of Protection <sup>1</sup>
35°F to 32°F	One layer of burlap for concrete.
31°F to 25°F	Two layers of burlap or one layer of plastic on one layer of burlap.
Below 25°F	Four layers of burlap between layers of 4 mil plastic or equivalent commercial insulating material approved by the Engineer.

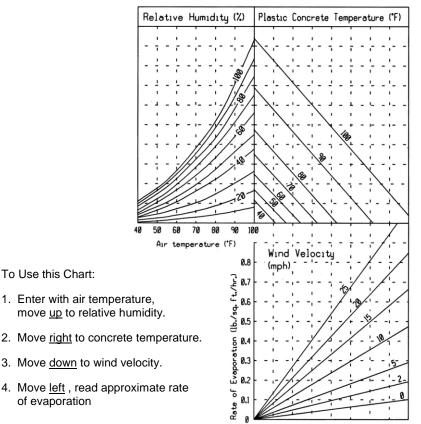
<sup>1</sup> Keep protection in place until one of the following conditions is met:

- a. The pavement is 5 calendar days old.
- b. Opening strength is attained.
- c. Forecasted low temperatures exceed 35°F for the next 48 hours.
- d. Forecasted high temperatures exceed 55°F for the next 24 hours and subgrade temperatures are above 40°F.
- Shut down paving operations in time to comply with protection requirements outlined above. During cold weather, allow more time for finishing and protection. Perform all finishing and covering operations prior to darkness. Temperature restrictions and protection requirements may be modified by the Engineer.

# 3.04 PAVEMENT PROTECTION (Continued)

- 2) Equivalent commercial insulating material approved by the Engineer may be used. This material must be waterproof and have a minimum R value of 1.0. If initial set has not yet occurred, place a layer of burlap on top of concrete prior to placing insulating blankets.
- 3) Use a method of protection and materials that will maintain the concrete temperature above 40°F.
- 2. Hot Weather: Hot weather condition is defined as any combination of the following conditions that tend to impair the quality of plastic concrete by accelerating the rate of moisture loss and rate of cement hydration causing thermal shrinkage and resulting in plastic shrinkage cracking:
  - High Ambient Temperature
  - High Concrete Temperature
  - Low Relative Humidity
  - High Wind Velocity
  - Solar Radiation
  - a. General:
    - 1) During hot weather conditions, the Engineer may restrict concrete placement to early morning or evening hours.
    - 2) During hot weather conditions, advise the Engineer of the results of the theoretical evaporation rate throughout paving operations.
  - b. Determine the Theoretical Rate of Evaporation: Use the following chart and the National Weather Service's predicted maximum air temperature, relative humidity, and maximum steady wind velocity without gusts, for the date and the location of the paving pour.

# **Theoretical Rate of Evaporation Chart**



# 3.04 PAVEMENT PROTECTION (Continued)

- c. If the evaporation rate exceeds 0.1 pounds per square foot per hour but is less than 0.3 pounds per square foot per hour, provide the following concrete evaporation protection.
  - Immediately apply an approved evaporation retarder to the concrete pavement and curbs or increase the surface cure application to 1.5 times the standard specified rate.
  - Take special precautions to ensure that the forms and subgrade are sufficiently moist or protected to avoid lowering the water content at the pavement/subgrade interface. In hot weather conditions, moisten the subgrade the evening before operations.
  - 3) Ensure that the time between placing and curing is minimized and eliminate delays.
  - 4) Moisten concrete aggregates that are dry and absorptive.
  - 5) Use a fog spray to raise the relative humidity of the ambient air if there is a delay in immediately applying the curing compound.
  - 6) Minimize solar heat by shading, wetting, or covering concrete chutes or other equipment that comes in contact with plastic concrete.
- d. If the evaporation rate is 0.3 pounds per square foot per hour or greater, discontinue placement of concrete.

# 3. Rain Protection:

- a. Have materials available, near the work site, for proper protection of the edges and surface of concrete. Protective material may consist of sheets of burlap or plastic film. Also have planks or other material with suitable stakes that can be used as temporary forms available.
- b. If initial set has not occurred, take every precaution necessary to protect the surface texture of the concrete.
- c. If so determined by the Engineer, failure to properly protect concrete will constitute cause for removal and replacement of defective pavement.
- **B.** Night Conditions: Perform all finishing and covering operations prior to darkness (half an hour after sunset). Do not commence construction until half an hour before sunrise. Do not place or finish concrete under artificial light, unless approved by the Engineer.

#### C. Protection from Traffic:

# 1. General:

- a. Protect the new pavement and its appurtenances from traffic, both public and that caused by the Contractor's own employees and agents, at no additional cost to the Contracting Authority. This includes the erection and maintenance of warning signs, lights, barricades, watchmen to direct traffic, and pavement bridges or crossovers.
- b. Do not operate equipment with metal tracks, metal bucket blades, or metal motor patrol blades directly on new paving. Do not unload soil or granular materials, including base rock for storage and future reloading directly onto new paving.

# 2. End of Day's Run:

- a. At the end of each day's run and at all side streets, erect and maintain safety barriers and fencing as necessary to protect the pavement from damage.
- b. Install safety fences within 1 hour of the completion of finishing and curing operations. Leave fences in place and maintained until the concrete has attained the minimum strength or age.
- c. Intermediate safety fences may be required for the purpose of opening the pavement for access to a side road, side street, or entrance.

# 3.04 PAVEMENT PROTECTION (Continued)

**3. Repair of Damages:** At the discretion of the Engineer, and at no additional cost to the Contracting Authority, repair or replace any part of the pavement damaged by traffic or other causes occurring prior to final acceptance of the pavement.

#### 3.05 USE OF PAVEMENT

Time for opening pavement for use is determined by maturity method complying with <u>lowa DOT</u> <u>Materials I.M. 383</u> or age and test results. The minimum age and test results needed for opening are shown in Table 7010.01.

Class of Mix	Type of Cement	Minimum Age For Opening <sup>1</sup>	Minimum Compressive Strength (psi)	Minimum Flexural Strength Center Point (psi)
С	Type I	7 Days <sup>2</sup>	3,000	500
М	Type I	48 Hours	3,000	500

#### Table 7010.01: Minimum Age and Tested Strength of Pavement Before Opening

<sup>1</sup> Opening without testing only allowed upon approval of Engineer <sup>2</sup> Five calendar days for concrete 9 inches thick or more.

# 3.06 TRANSPORTATION RESTRICTIONS

- A. Do not use concrete transported with continuous agitation when the cement has been in contact with the aggregate more than 90 minutes before it is placed. With the approval of the Engineer, an approved retarding admixture may be used at the rates required in <u>lowa DOT</u> <u>Materials I.M. 403</u>.
- B. Do not use concrete transported without continuous agitation if the period elapsed between the time the concrete is mixed and the time it is placed is greater than 30 minutes. With the approval of the Engineer, an approved retarding admixture may be used at the rates required in <u>lowa DOT Materials I.M. 403</u> and the mixed-to-placed time may be extended.
- C. Ensure the methods of delivering and handling the concrete are such that objectionable segregation or damage to the concrete will not occur, and concrete placing will occur with a minimum of rehandling.
- D. Thoroughly clean the truck compartment in which concrete is transported and flush with water to ensure that hardened concrete will not accumulate. Discharge the flushing water from the truck compartment to the designated discharge point before it is charged with the next batch.

#### QUALITY CONTROL 3.07

A. Testing: Provide the following material certifications and testing required to be performed by Supplier or Contractor.

Material or			Methods of	Field Sampling and Testing		
Construction Item	Tests	Applicable Standard <sup>1</sup>	Acceptance of Sampling and Testing	Frequency (minimum)	Responsible Party	
	Gradation	<u>I.M. 302, 306, 336</u>	Cert. Plant Insp. <sup>2</sup>	1/250 CY or min 1/day	l	
Fine	Moisture	<u>I.M. 308, 527</u>	Cert. Plant Insp. <sup>2</sup>	1 per 1/2 day		
Aggregates	Specific Gravity	<u>I.M. 307</u>	Cert. Plant Insp. <sup>2</sup>	1/250 CY or min 1/day		
	Quality	<u>I.M. 209</u>	Approved Source	Prior to use		
	Gradation	<u>I.M. 302, 306, 336</u>	Cert. Plant Insp. <sup>2</sup>	1/250 CY or min 1/day		
Coarse	Moisture	<u>I.M. 308, 527</u>	Cert. Plant Insp. <sup>2</sup>	1 per 1/2 day		
Aggregates	Specific Gravity	<u>I.M. 307</u>	Cert. Plant Insp. <sup>2</sup>	1/250 CY or min 1/day		
	Quality	<u>I.M. 209</u>	Approved Source	Prior to use	Supplier/ Contractor	
Portland Cement	Quality	<u>I.M. 401</u>	Approved Source	Prior to use	Contractor	
Fly Ash	Quality	<u>I.M. 491.17</u>	Approved Source	Prior to use		
GGBFS	Quality	<u>I.M. 491.14</u>	Approved Source	Prior to use		
Curing Compound	Quality	lowa DOT Section 4105	Approved Source	Prior to use		
Joint Sealer	Quality	I.M. 436.01	Approved Source	Prior to use		
Epoxy Dowel Bars and Assemblies	Quality	<u>I.M. 451.03B</u>	Approved Source	Prior to use		
Tie Bars	Quality	<u>I.M. 451</u>	Approved Source	Prior to use		
Plastic Concrete	Air Content	<u>I.M 318, 327</u>	Field Test	1/200 CY or min. 1/day		
	Slump	<u>I.M. 317</u>	Field Test	1/200 CY or min. 1/day		
	Cylinders	<u>I.M. 315</u>	Field Test	Set of 3/500 CY or two sets/day		
	Beams	<u>I.M. 316, 327, 328</u>	Field Test	Set of 3/500 CY or two sets/day	Engineer	
	Thickness		Field Test	1/200 CY		
Hardened Concrete	Smoothness	SUDAS 7010, 3.07	Field Test - Straightedge	Project length		
	Smoothness	SUDAS 7010, 3.07	Field Test - Profilograph	Project length		
	Thickness	SUDAS 7010, 3.07	Field Test	1 core/1000 SY or 3 cores/project	Contractor	
	Strength	<u>I.M. 383</u>	Maturity Tests <sup>3</sup>	Prior to placement		

# Table 7010.02: Material Certifications and Testing

Refers to the Iowa DOT Materials I.M.s, Iowa DOT Standard Specifications, or SUDAS Standard Specifications.
 <sup>2</sup> Certified plant inspection per <u>Iowa DOT Materials I.M. 527</u>.

<sup>3</sup> The Contractor is responsible for developing the maturity curve for the specified mix, taking maturity readings, and delivering a copy of the results to the Engineer.

# 3.07 QUALITY CONTROL (Continued)

#### B. Air Content:

- Air content of the concrete will be evaluated according to <u>lowa DOT Materials I.M. 318</u> and <u>327</u>.
- 2. When a test result is outside the tolerance for the target air content, the contractor will be notified immediately. An air test will then be immediately run behind the paver to aid in identifying the limits of the non-complying air. A test result between 5% and 8% behind the paver will be considered complying. This test will represent all concrete from the back of the paver back to the last documented complying test. Make immediate adjustments to the mix production and placement process to bring the air content back within tolerance. Do not use succeeding loads below the lower target air content tolerance by more than 0.5%. Each subsequent load will be tested until air content is within tolerance, the Engineer will determine if removal and replacement is required or if a price adjustment, according to Table 7010.03, will be applied.

Air Content Range			% Payment of Unit Price	
Minimum		Maximum	% Fayment of Onit Frice	
1.1*	and	below	0%	
0.6	to	1.0*	50%	
0.1	to	0.5*	75%	
L	ow air tolerance	limit	100%	
	Target		100%	
Н	igh air tolerance	limit	100%	
0.1	to	0.5**	95%	
0.6	to	1.0**	85%	
1.1	to	1.5**	75%	
1.6	to	2.0**	60%	
2.1**	and	above	0%	

#### Table 7010.03: Concrete Air Content Price Adjustments

\*Air content deviation below the acceptable limits

\*\* Air content deviation above the acceptable limits

- **C. Pavement Smoothness:** Evaluate pavement smoothness for all PCC pavement and overlay surfaces.
  - Straightedge: The Engineer will check PCC pavement surfaces with a 10 foot straightedge placed parallel to the centerline. Areas showing high spots of more than 1/4 of an inch in 10 feet will be marked. Complete surface corrections according to the procedures in <u>lowa DOT Section 2316</u> to an elevation where the area or spot will not show surface deviations in excess of 1/8 inch when tested with a 10 foot straightedge. Surface corrections will be completed at the direction of the Engineer with no additional cost to the Contracting Authority.

# 2. Profilograph:

- a. If specified in the contract documents, comply with <u>lowa DOT Section 2316</u> to measure pavement smoothness with a profilograph.
- b. Evaluate according to the smoothness requirements of Table 7010.04 and make surface corrections and price reductions. Surface corrections will be completed with no additional cost to the Contracting Authority. No incentive for pavement smoothness will be made.

# 3.07 QUALITY CONTROL (Continued)

Segment Index (inch/mile)	Pay Factor
0 - 22.0	100%
22.1 - 30.0	97%
30.1 and over	Grind as directed by Engineer

#### Table 7010.04: Pay Factor if Profilograph Used

c. Smoothness measurements will be suspended for structures and through intersections.

# D. Pavement Thickness:

- At locations determined by the Engineer, cut samples from the pavement by drilling with a core bit that will provide samples with a 4 inch outside diameter. Restore the surface by tamping low slump concrete into the hole, finishing, and texturing. The Engineer will witness the core drilling, identify, and take possession of the cores. The Engineer will determine the core locations, measure the cores, and determine the thickness index according to lowa DOT Materials I.M. 346 and 347, except as modified as follows:
  - a. For regular or irregular shaped areas, use a lot size of 1,000 square yards. Include remnants less than 500 square yards in the last lot and remnants greater than 500 square yards in a separate lot. Take a minimum of three cores per project.
  - b. For any core with a deficiency greater than 0.15 inch, take two additional cores in that pavement lot and use the average of the three cores.
- 2. Coring of pavement or other work for thickness determination may be waived by mutual agreement for sections of the same design thickness less than 2,500 square yards.
- 3. Based on the thickness index determined by the Engineer, the pavement payment will be as shown in Tables 7010.05 and 7010.06.
- 4. If the thickness index deficiency is greater than 0.51 for pavements thinner than 9 inches or 0.91 for pavements 9 inches or thicker, the Engineer will study the extent and severity of the deficiency of the pavement areas. The Engineer will require one of the following based on a review on the level of deficiency, the amount of the payment penalty, and the estimated reduction in the design life of the deficient pavement:
  - a. Removal and replacement of the deficient areas with pavement complying with the contract documents at no additional cost to the Contracting Authority.
  - b. Completion of an agreement that provides a combination of an extended guarantee period and payment penalty and allows the deficient pavement to be left in place.

Thickness Index Range	Percent Payment
More than 0 to -0.15	100
-0.16 to -0.25	95
-0.26 to -0.50	85
-0.51 or less	As determined by the Engineer

# Table 7010.05: Pay Factor for PCC Pavement for Design Thickness less than 9"

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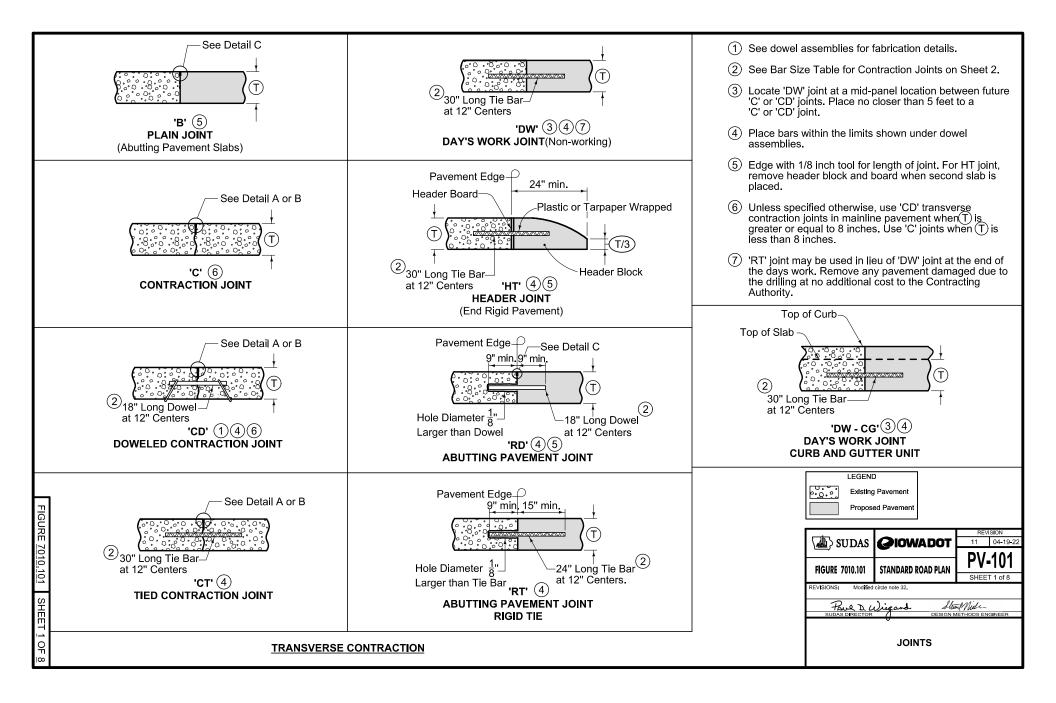
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More than 0.00 to -0.15	100
-0.16 to -0.20	99
-0.21 to -0.25	98
-0.26 to -0.30	97
-0.31 to -0.35	96
-0.36 to -0.40	95
-0.41 to -0.45	94
-0.46 to -0.50	93
-0.51 to -0.55	92
-0.56 to -0.60	91
-0.61 to -0.65	90
-0.66 to -0.70	89
-0.71 to -0.75	88
-0.76 to -0.80	87
-0.81 to -0.85	86
-0.86 to -0.90	85
-0.91 or less	As determined by the Engineer

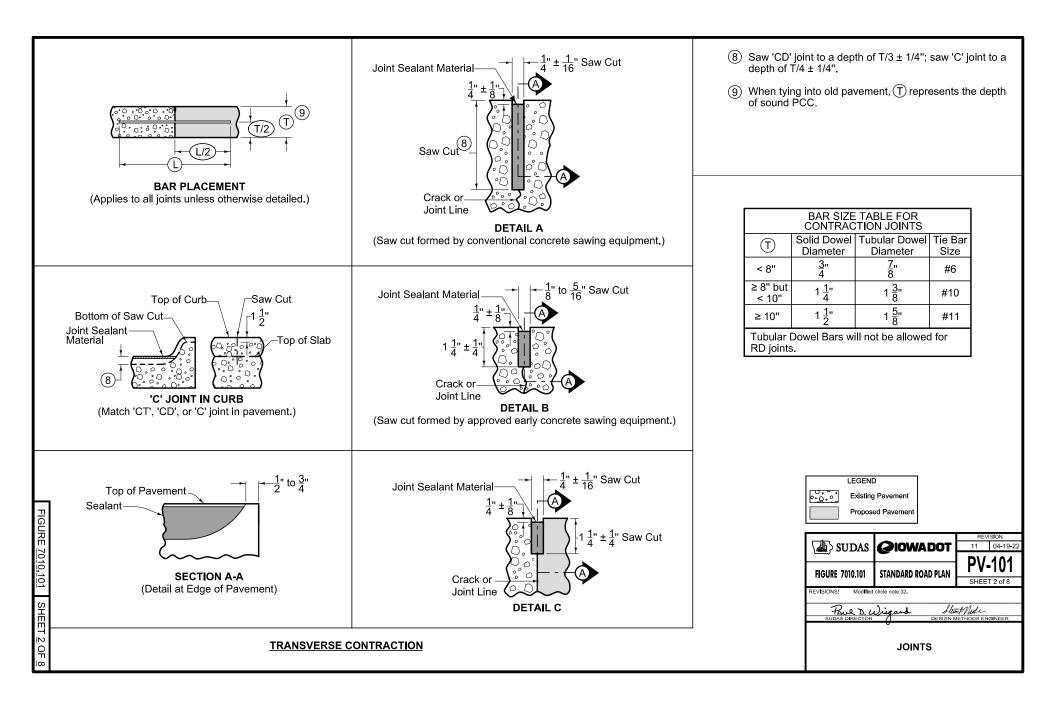
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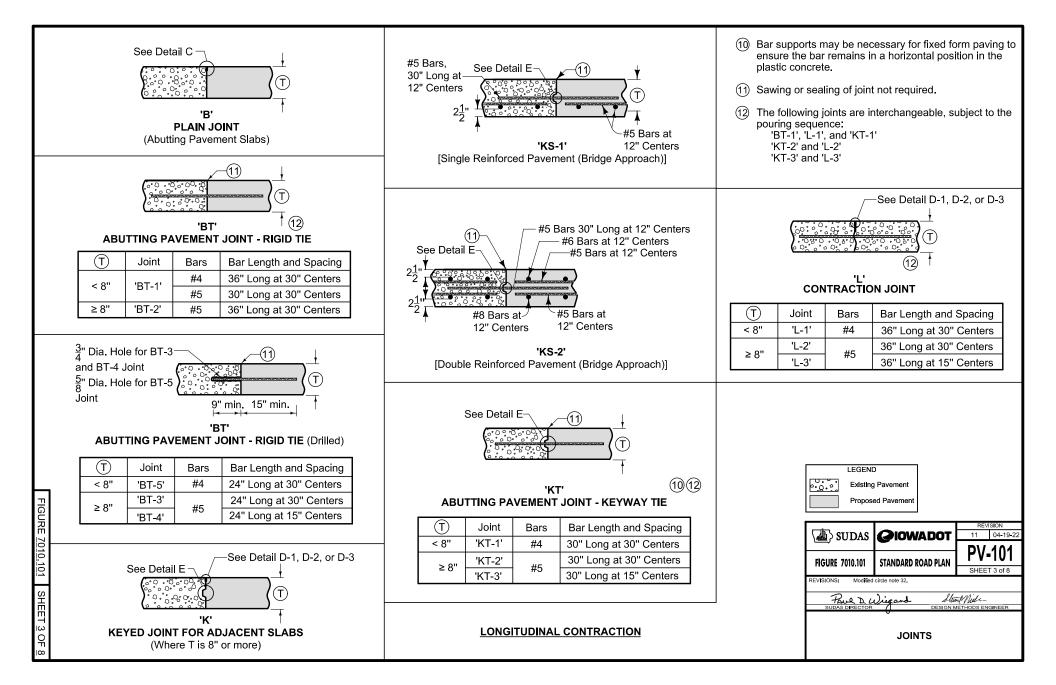
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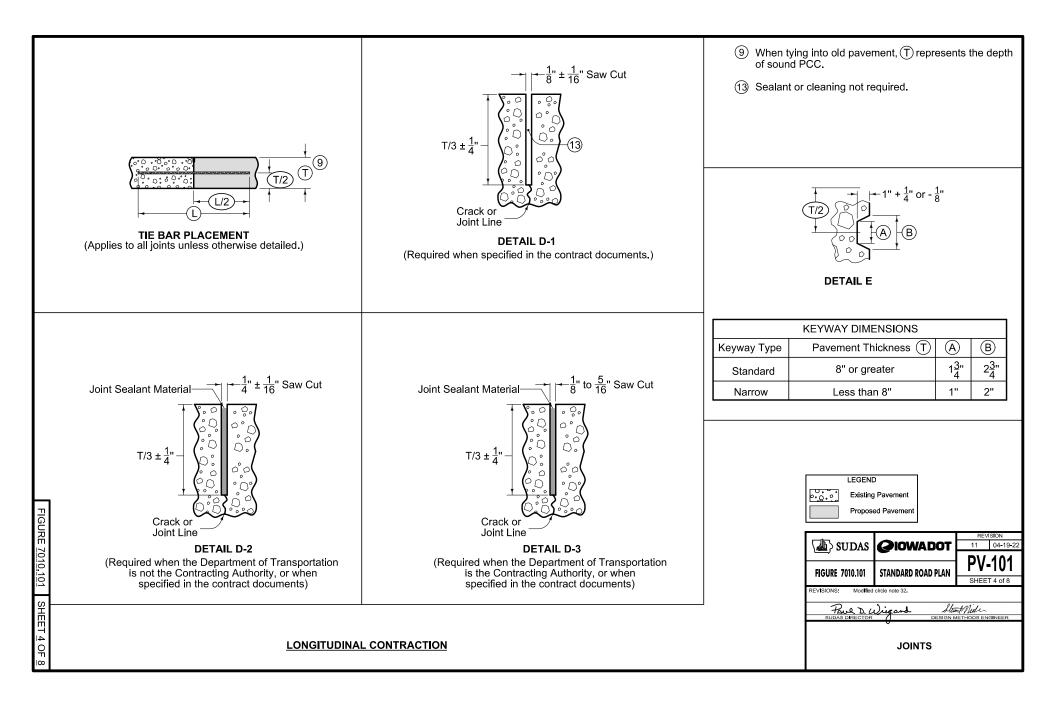
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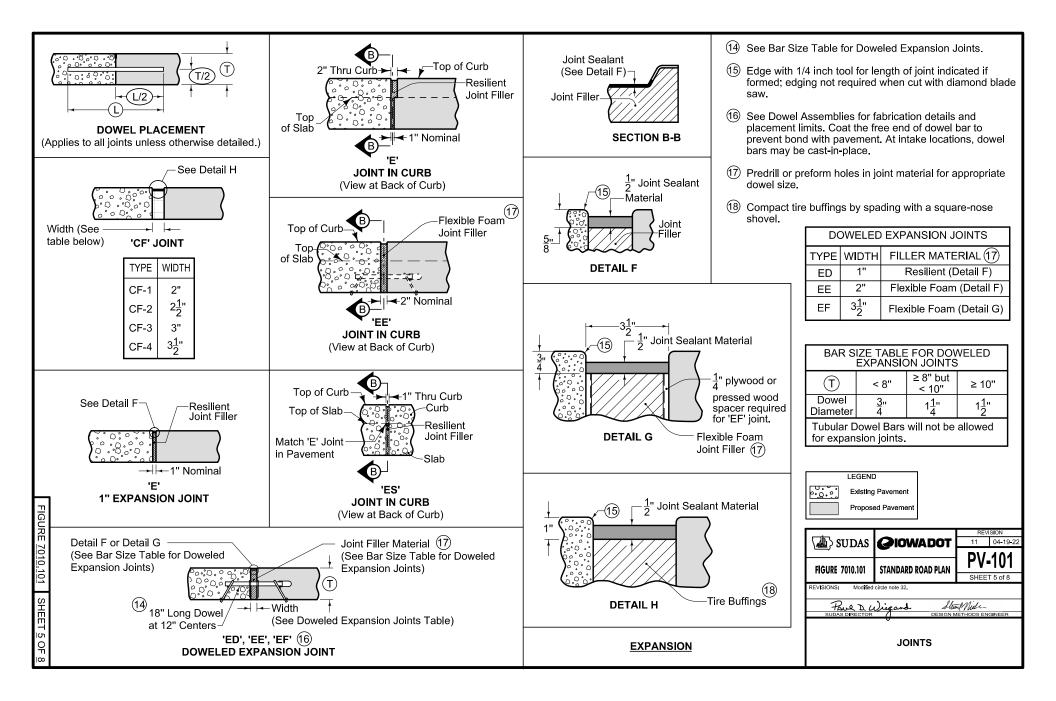
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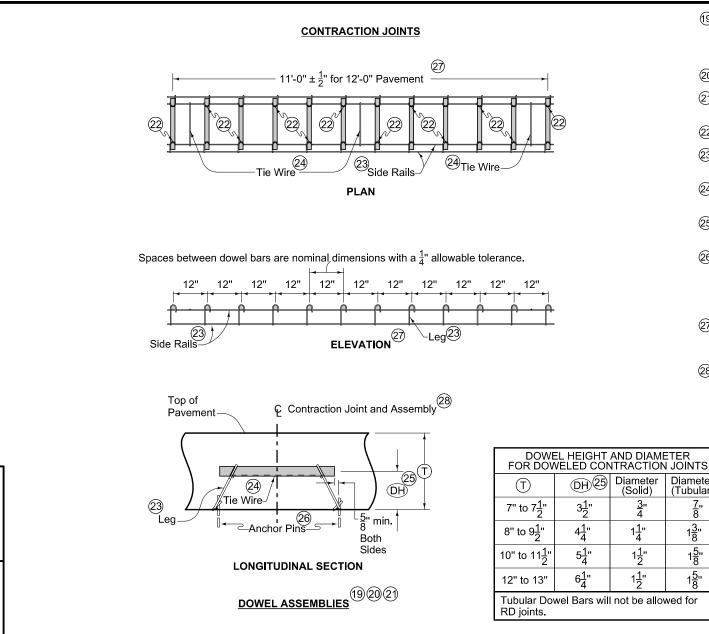












- (19) Use 18 inch long dowel bars with a tolerance of  $\pm 1/8$ inch. Ensure the centerlines of individual dowels are parallel to the other dowels in the assembly within ± 1/8 inch
- 20 Use wires with a minimum tensile strength of 50 ksi.
- (21) Details apply to both transverse contraction and expansion joints.
- (22) Weld alternately throughout.

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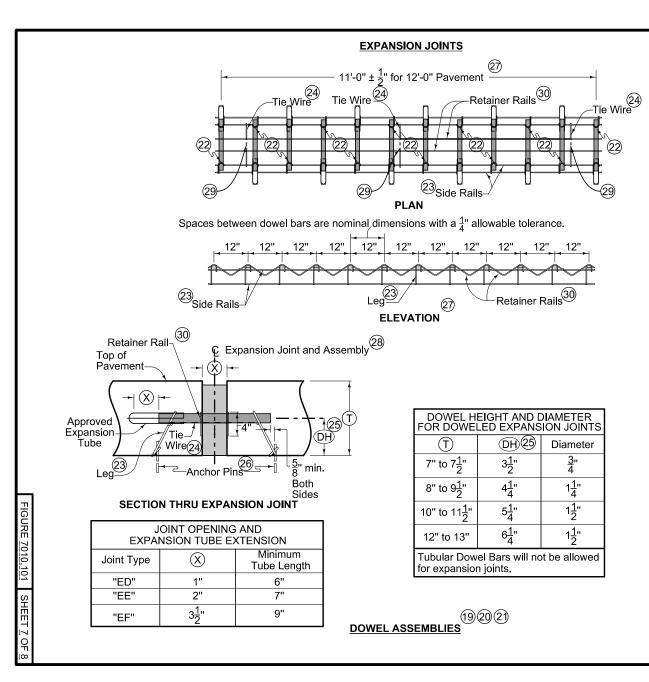
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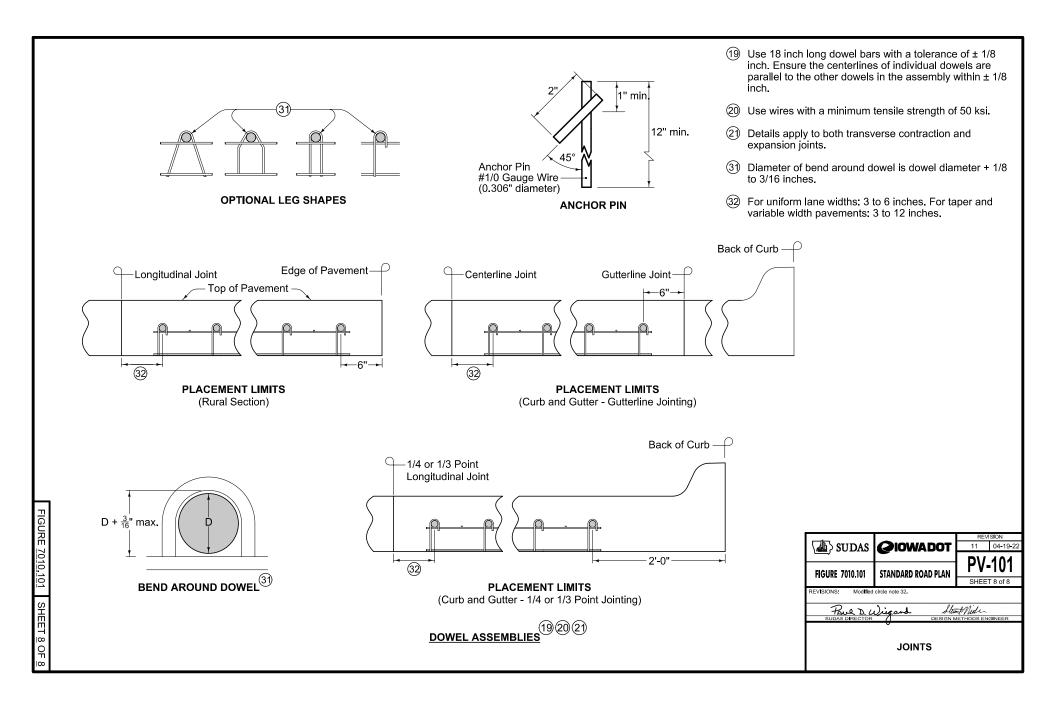
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- (24) Maximum 0.177 inch diameter wire, welded or friction fit to upper side rail, both sides.
- (25) Measured from the centerline of dowel bar to bottom of lower side rail + 1/4 inch.
- 26 Per lane width, install a minimum of 8 anchor pins evenly spaced (4 per side), to prevent movement of assembly during construction. Anchor assemblies placed on pavement or PCC base with devices approved by the Engineer.
- (27) If dowel basket assemblies are required for curbed pavements, the assembly length is based on the jointing layout. See PV-101, sheet 8.
- 28 Ensure dowel basket assembly centerline is within 2 inches of the intended joint location longitudinally and has no more than 1/4 inch horizontal skew from end of basket to end of basket.

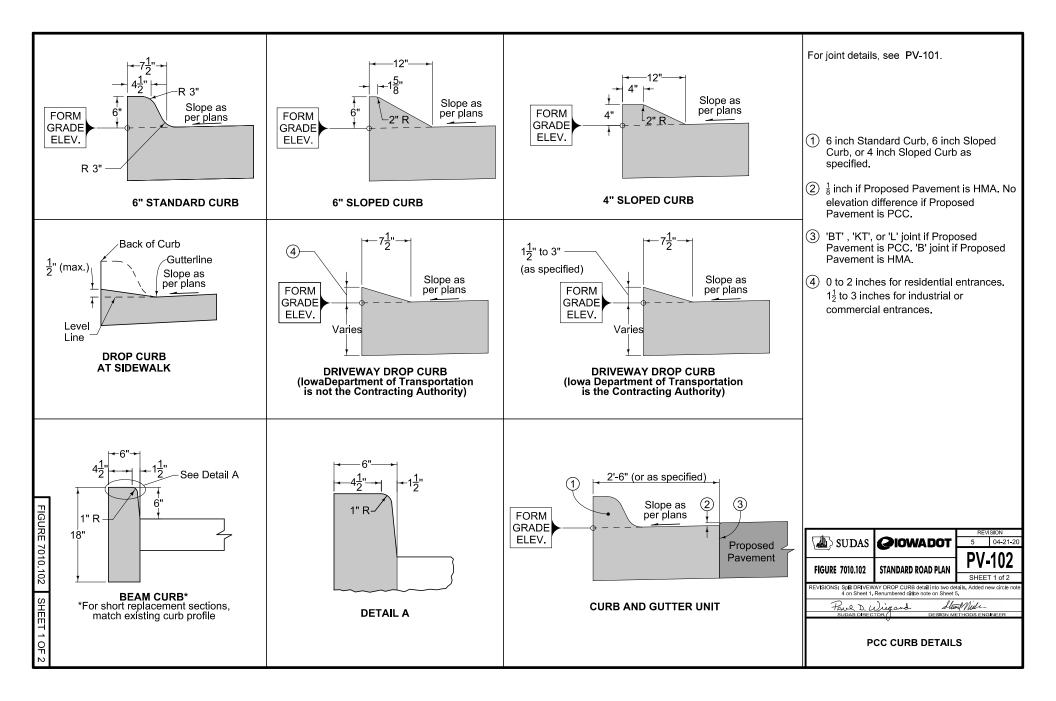
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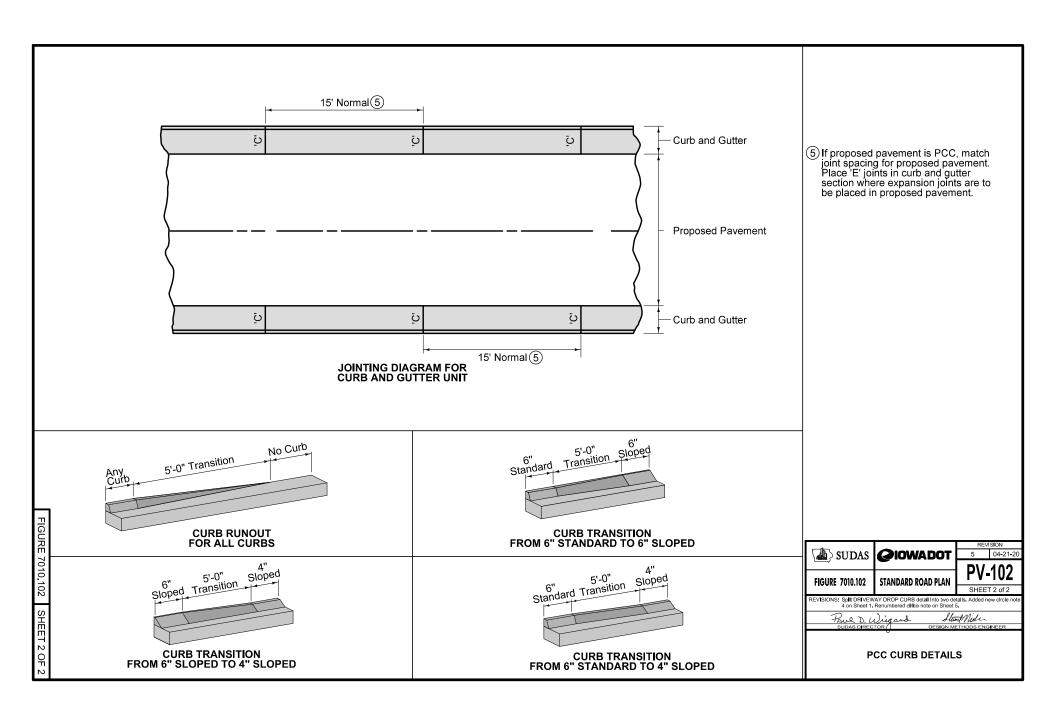


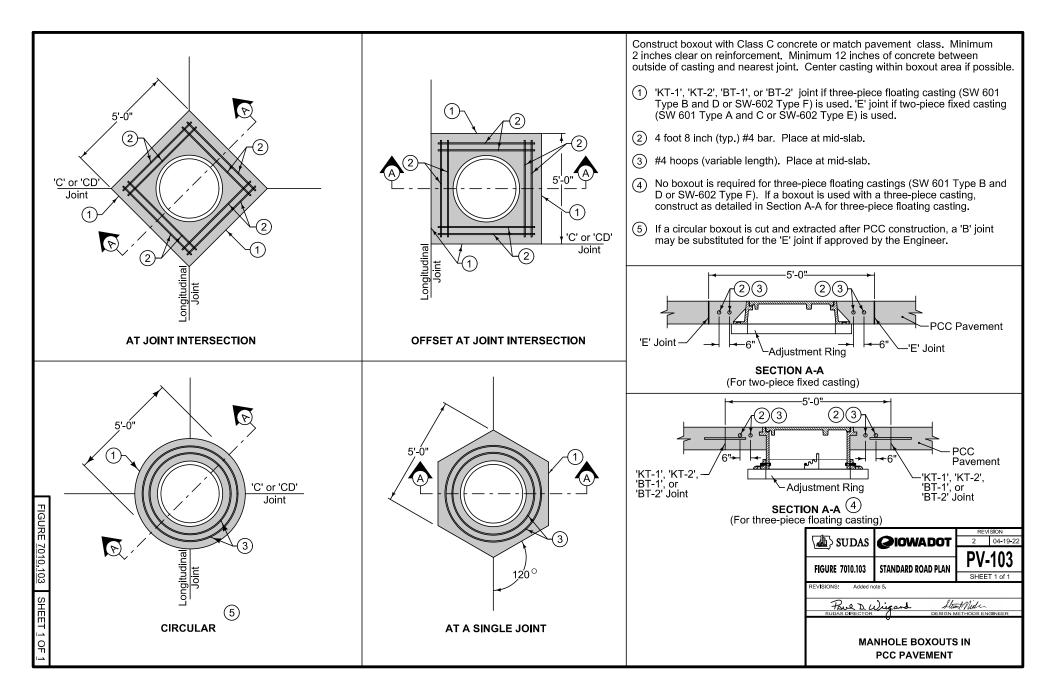
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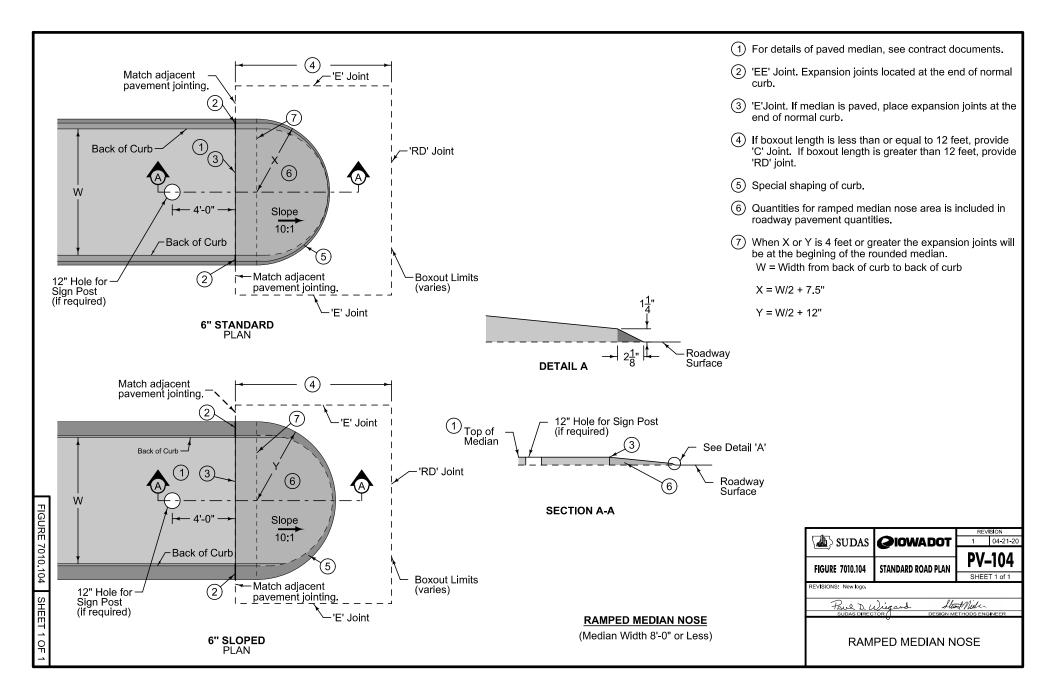
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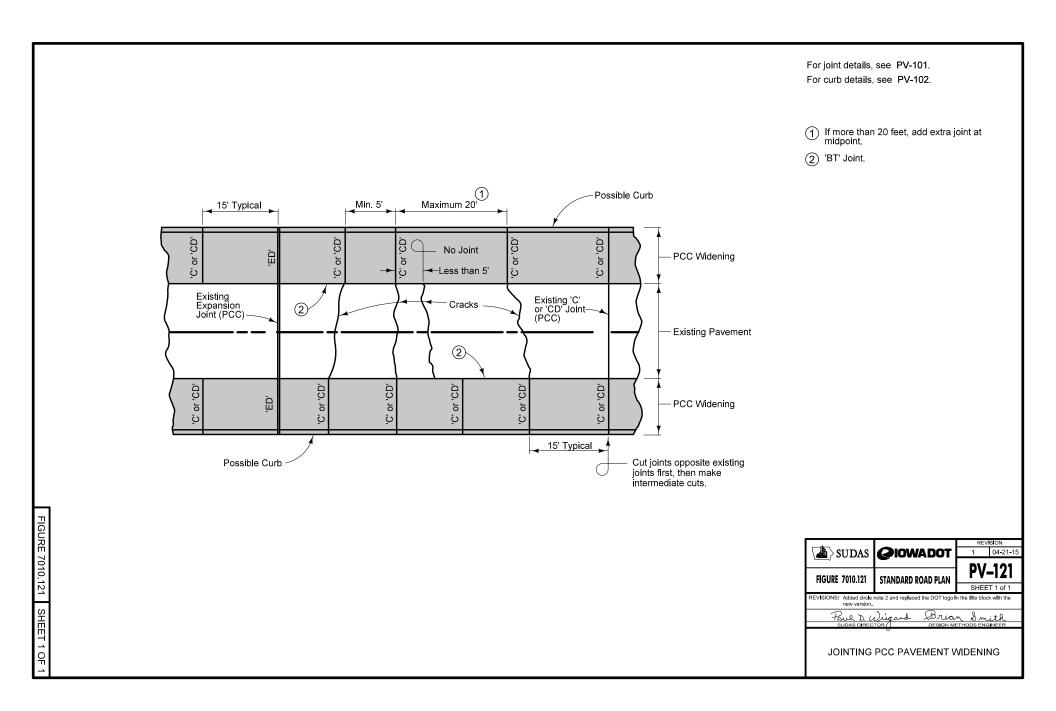


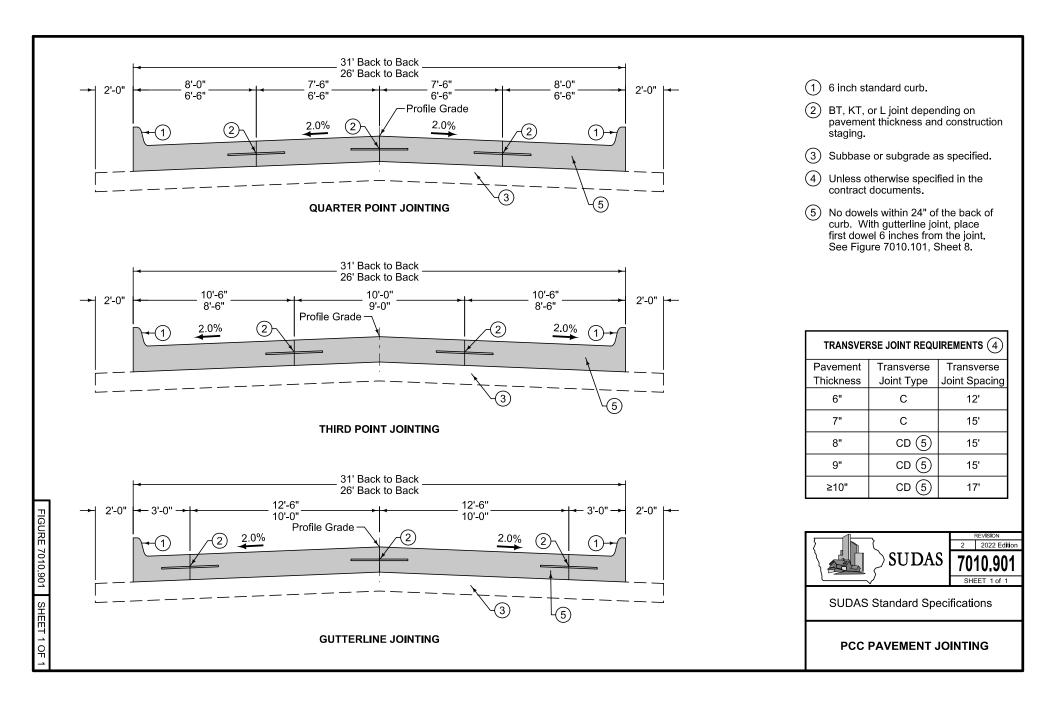


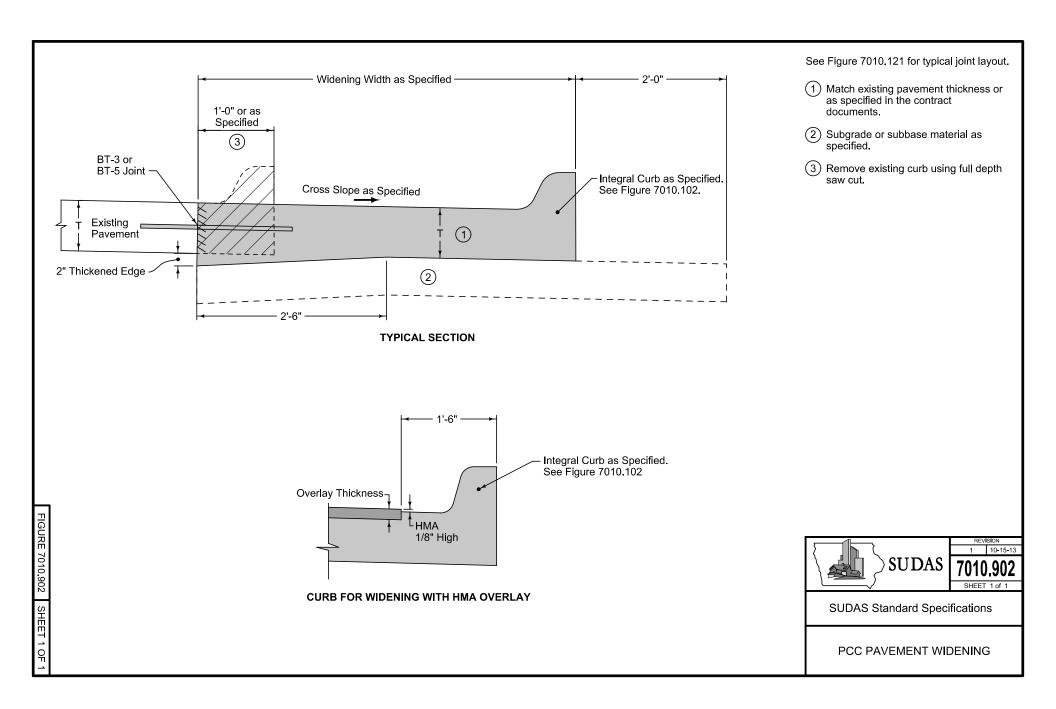


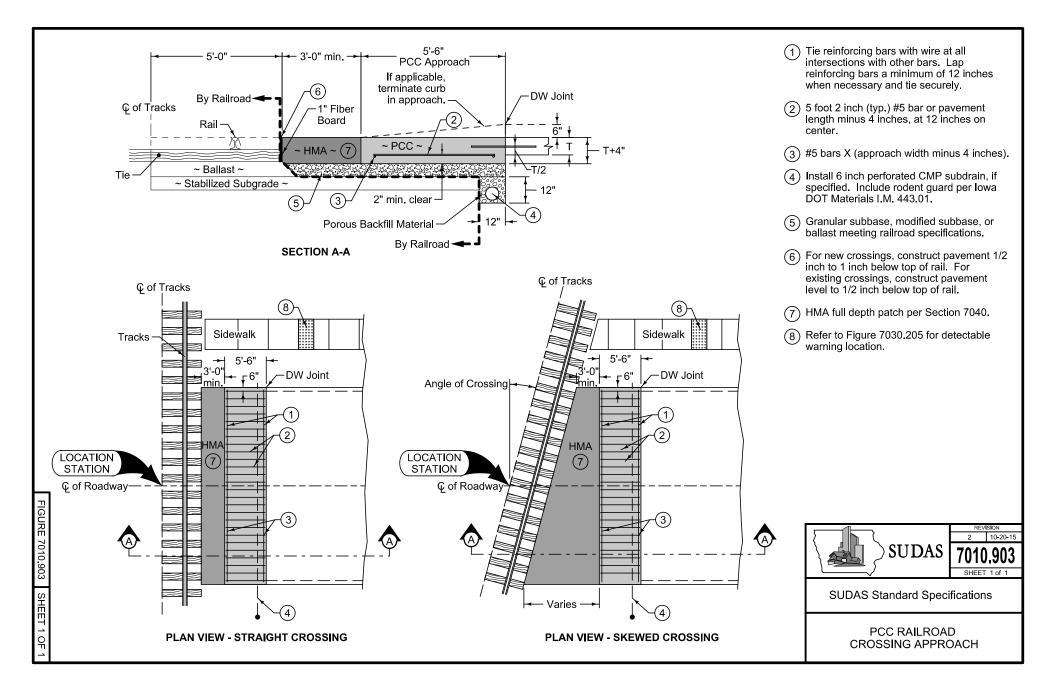


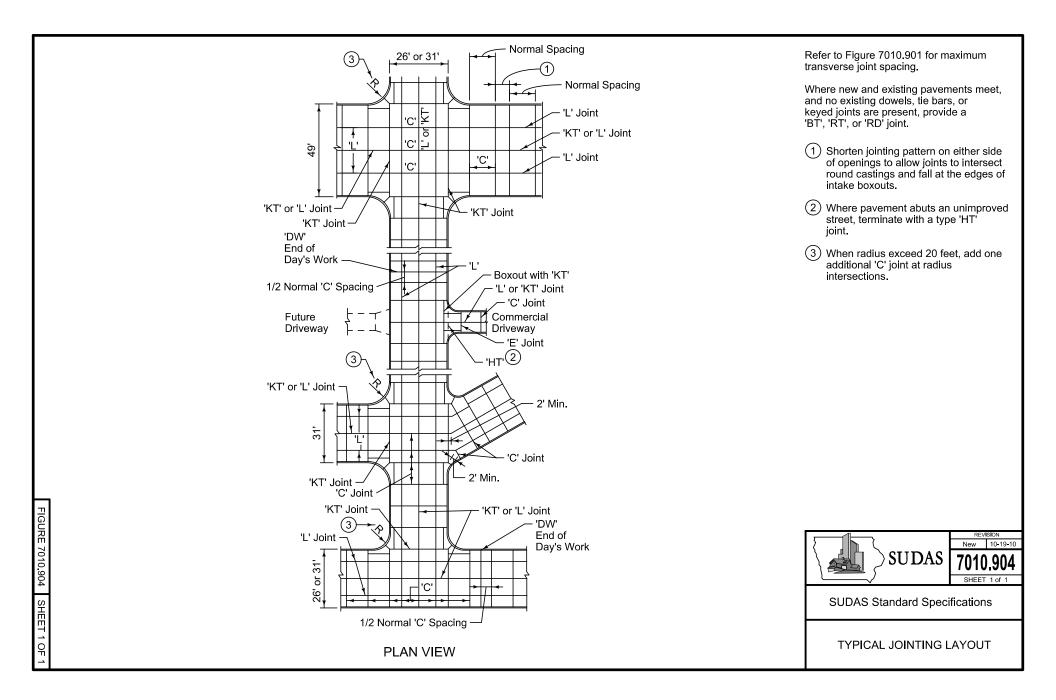


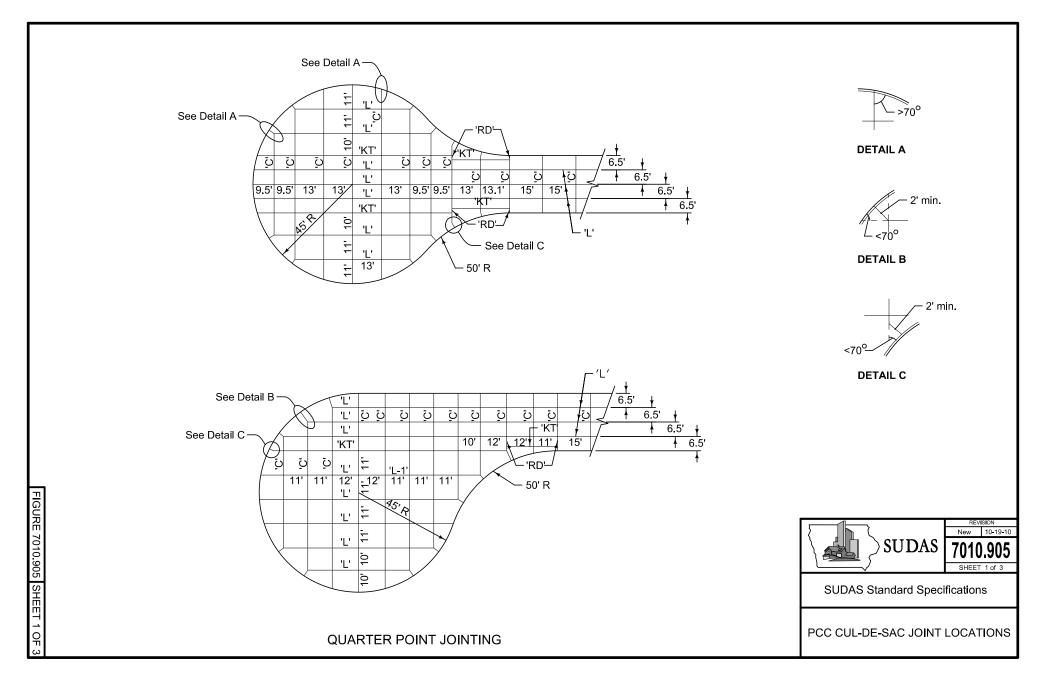


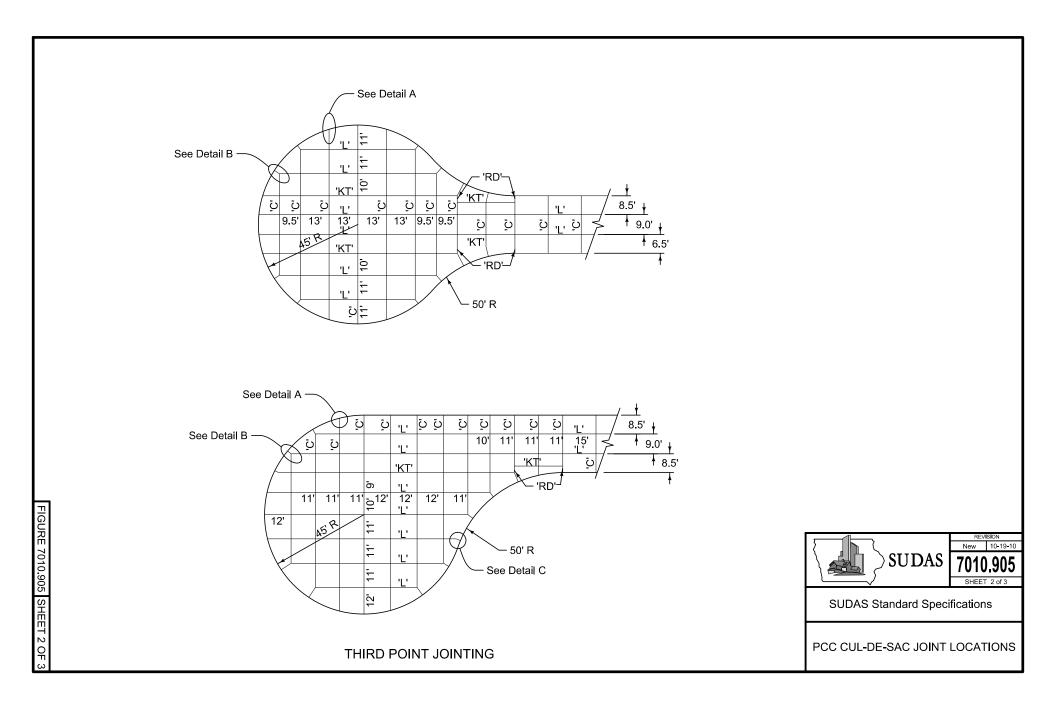


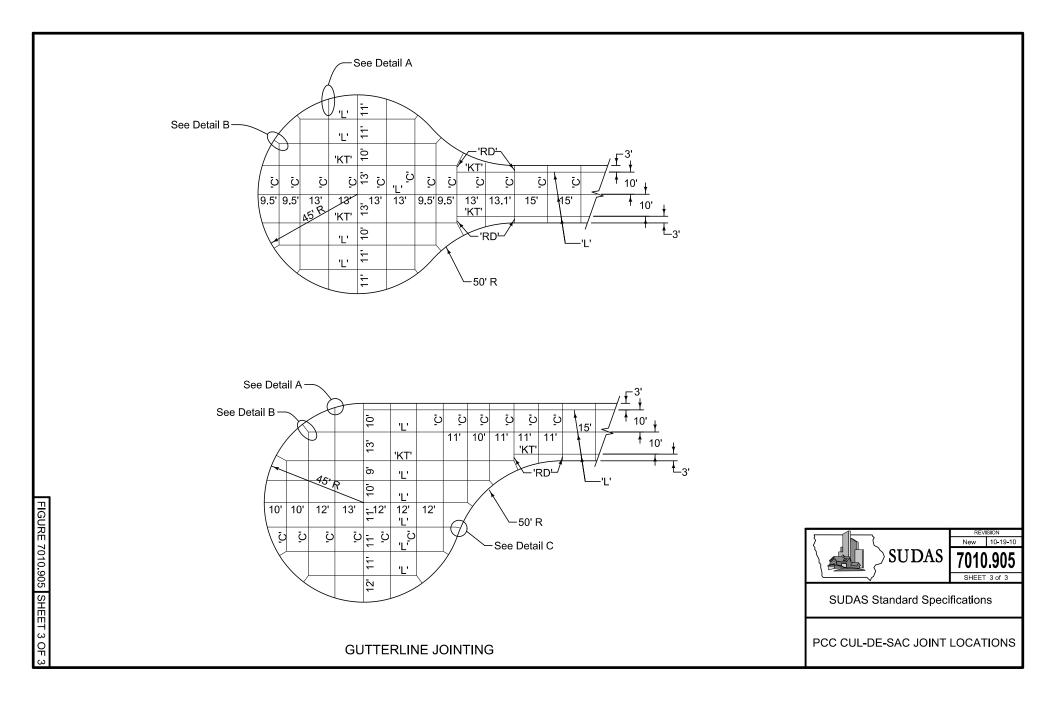


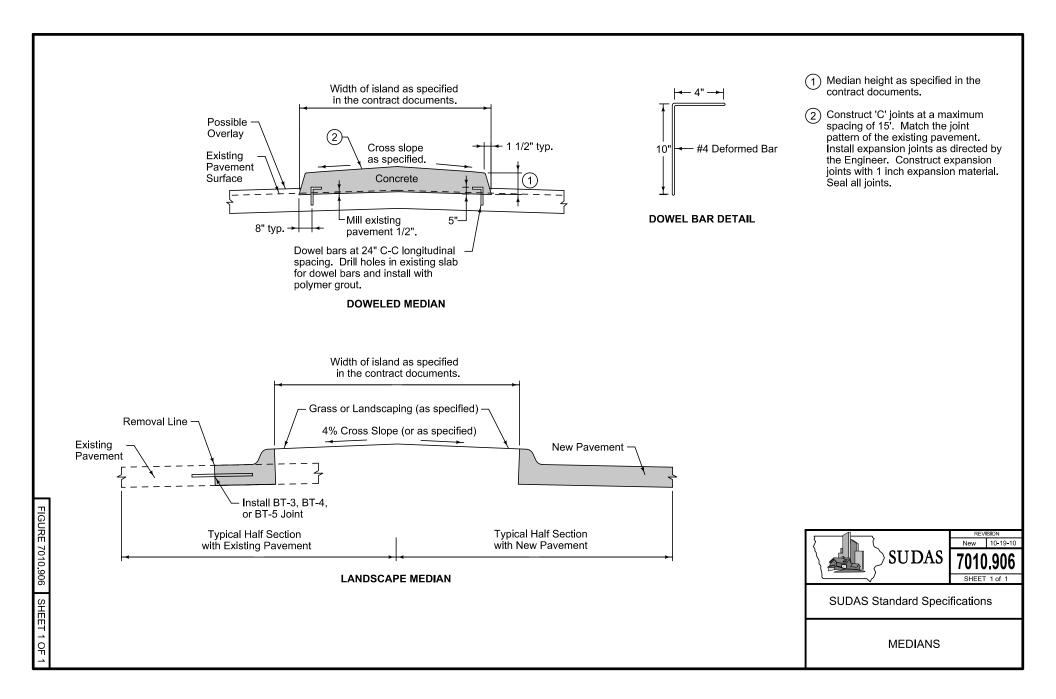












# PORTLAND CEMENT CONCRETE OVERLAYS

#### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Bonded Concrete Overlays Over Concrete
- B. Bonded Concrete Overlays Over Asphalt
- C. Unbonded Concrete Overlays Over Concrete (with separation layer)
- D. Unbonded Concrete Overlays Over Asphalt

#### 1.02 DESCRIPTION OF WORK

Includes the requirements for the construction of PCC overlays.

### 1.03 SUBMITTALS

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants and Section 7010, 1.03.

#### 1.04 SUBSTITUTIONS

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants.

#### 1.05 DELIVERY, STORAGE, HANDLING, AND SALVAGING

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants and Section 7010, 1.05.

# 1.06 SCHEDULING AND CONFLICTS

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants and Section 7010, 1.06.

#### 1.07 SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS

None.

# 1.08 MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT

#### A. PCC Overlays:

#### 1. PCC Overlay, Furnish Only:

- **a. Measurement:** Measurement will be in cubic yards of PCC furnished and incorporated into the PCC overlay, including widening sections, partial depth patches (as part of pre-overlay repairs), and irregular sections.
- **b. Payment:** Payment will be at the unit price per cubic yard of PCC furnished and incorporated into the PCC overlay.
- **c. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, furnishing the concrete mixture and delivery to the project site.

# 2. PCC Overlay, Place Only:

- a. Measurement: Measurement will be in square yards of PCC overlay placed, including widening sections, partial depth patches, and irregular sections. The area of manholes, intakes, or other fixtures in the overlay will not be deducted from the measured overlay area. Area is based on the longitudinal surface and nominal width of existing pavement.
- b. Payment: Payment will be at the unit price per square yard of PCC overlay placed.
- **c. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, integral curb, bars and reinforcement, joints and sealing, finishing and texturing, surface curing and pavement protection, safety fencing, concrete for rigid headers, boxouts for fixtures, and pavement smoothness testing.

#### 1.08 MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT (Continued)

#### 3. Surface Preparation for Bonded PCC Overlay:

- **a. Measurement:** Measurement will be in square yards of pavement surface prepared for bonded PCC overlay based on the area shown in the contract documents. Area is based on the longitudinal surface and nominal width of existing pavement.
- **b. Payment:** Payment will be at the unit price per square yard of pavement surface prepared for bonded PCC overlay.
- **c. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, sandblasting, shot blasting, scarification, and surface cleaning.

#### 4. Surface Preparation for Unbonded PCC Overlay:

- **a. Measurement:** Measurement will be in square yards of pavement scarified for unbonded PCC overlay based on the area shown in the contract documents. Area is based on the longitudinal surface and nominal width of existing pavement.
- **b. Payment:** Payment will be at the unit price per square yard of pavement scarified for unbonded PCC overlay.
- **c. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, surface preparation required by the contract documents, including scarification and surface cleaning.

#### 5. HMA Separation Layer for Unbonded PCC Overlay:

- a. Measurement: Measurement will be in square yards of HMA separation layer for unbonded PCC overlay. Area is based on the longitudinal surface and nominal width of existing pavement.
- **b. Payment:** Payment will be at the unit price per square yard of HMA separation layer for unbonded PCC overlay.
- **c. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, cleaning surface and furnishing and placing HMA mix, including asphalt binder.

#### 6. Geotextile Fabric Separation Layer for Unbonded PCC Overlay:

- **a. Measurement:** Measurement will be in square yards of geotextile fabric separation layer for unbonded PCC overlay. Area is based on the longitudinal surface and nominal width of existing pavement.
- **b. Payment:** Payment will be at the unit price per square yard of geotextile fabric separation layer for unbonded PCC overlay.
- **c. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, cleaning surface and furnishing, placing, and securing the geotextile fabric separation layer.
- B. Pavement Removal: Comply with Section 7040, 1.08, H.
- C. Air Content Deficiency: Comply with Section 7010, 1.08, B.
- **D.** Pavement Smoothness Deficiency: Comply with <u>Section 7010, 1.08, C</u>.
- E. PCC Pavement Thickness Deficiency: Comply with Section 7010, 1.08, D.
- F. Curb and Gutter: Comply with Section 7010, 1.08, E.
- **G.** Fixture Adjustment: Comply with Section 6010 for adjustment of manholes and intakes and <u>Section 5020</u> for adjustment of water valves and fire hydrants.
- H. PCC Pavement Samples and Testing: Comply with Section 7010.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

#### 2.01 MATERIALS

- A. Cement: Comply with Section 7010, 2.01, A.
- B. Supplementary Cementitious Materials (SCM): Comply with Section 7010, 2.01, B.
- C. Fine Aggregate for Concrete: Comply with Section 7010, 2.01, C.
- D. Coarse Aggregate for Concrete:
  - 1. Crushed stone particles with Class 2 durability complying with <u>lowa DOT Section 4115</u> and <u>Materials I.M. 409</u>.
  - 2. Comply with <u>lowa DOT Section 4115</u> and <u>Article 4109.02</u>, <u>Gradation No. 3 and 5 in the</u> <u>Aggregate Gradation Table</u>.
  - 3. Bonded PCC Overlays:
    - a. Use the maximum nominal coarse aggregate size that is no greater than one-third of the overlay thickness.
    - b. Provide aggregates that will produce a concrete mixture having a coefficient of thermal expansion (CTE) equal to or less than the CTE of the existing concrete pavement.
  - 4. The Engineer may authorize a change in gradation, subject to materials available locally at the time of construction.

#### E. Fiber Reinforcement:

- 1. Provide macro-synthetic fibers complying with ASTM C 1116, Type III Section 4.1.3
- 2. Incorporate at a dosage rate according to the manufacturer's recommendations (typically 3 pounds per cubic yard to 7.5 pounds per cubic yard).
- F. Water Requirements: Comply with Section 7010, 2.01, E.
- G. Admixtures: Comply with Section 7010, 2.01, F.
- H. Tie Bars, Dowel Bars, and Expansion Tubes: Comply with Section 7010, 2.01, G and H.
- I. Joint Fillers and Sealers: Comply with Section 7010, 2.01, L.
- J. Liquid Curing Compound:
  - 1. White Pigmented Compounds. Comply with <u>lowa DOT Section 4105</u>.
  - 2. Poly Alpha-methylstyrene: Comply with ASTM C 309, Type 2, Class B with 100% of the resin consisting of poly alpha-methylstyrene (PAMS) meeting the requirements of Table 7011.01.

Properties	Range
Total solids, % by weight of compound	<u>&gt;</u> 42
% reflectance in 72 hr (ASTM E 1347)	<u>&gt;</u> 65
Loss of water, kg/m <sup>2</sup> in 24 hr (ASTM C 156)	<u>&lt;</u> 0.15
Loss of water, kg/m <sup>2</sup> in 72 hr (ASTM C 156)	<u>&lt;</u> 0.40
V.O.C. Content, g/L	<u>&lt;</u> 350

#### Table 7011.01: PAMS Curing Compound

#### 2.01 MATERIALS (Continued)

- K. HMA Separation Layer for Unbonded Overlay over Concrete:
  - 1. Asphalt Binder: PG 58-28S.
  - 2. Mixture: Standard Traffic (ST) 3/8 inch HMA mix.
    - a. Target air voids is 3%.
    - b. No maximum film thickness restriction.
    - c. No minimum filler/bitumen ratio restriction.

#### 3. Aggregate:

- a. Type B.
- b. No percent crushed particle requirement.
- c. Gradation cannot fall below the restricted zone.

#### L. Geotextile Fabric Separation Layer for Unbonded Overlay over Concrete:

**1. Material Properties:** Based on the contract document's specified mass per unit area, provide a geotextile fabric meeting the requirements of Table 7011.02.

#### 2. Fabric Weight and Thickness:

- a. For unbonded overlays less than or equal to 4 inches thick, provide a geotextile separation layer with a weight of 13.3 oz/yd<sup>2</sup> and a thickness of 130 mils.
- b. For unbonded overlays greater than or equal to 4.5 inches thick, provide a geotextile separation layer with a weight of 14.7 oz/yd<sup>2</sup> and a thickness of 170 mils.

Property	Requirements	Test Procedures	
Geotextile Type	Nonwoven, needle-punched, no thermal treatment to include calendaring*	EN 13249, Annex F (Certification)	
Color	Uniform/nominally same color fibers	(Visual Inspection)	
Weight (mass per unit area) <sup>13</sup>	≥ 13.3 oz/yd² ≥ 14.7 oz/yd² ≤ 16.2 oz/yd²	ISO 9864 (ASTM D 5261)	
Thickness under load (pressure)	[a] 0.29 psi: ≥ 0.12 in. [b] 2.9 psi: ≥ 0.10 in. [c] 29 psi: ≥ 0.04 in.	ISO 9863-1 (ASTM D 5199)	
Wide-width tensile strength	≥ 685 lb/ft.	ISO 10319 (ASTM D 4595)	
Wide-width maximum elongation	≤ 130 percent	ISO 10319 (ASTM D 4595)	
Water permeability in normal direction under load (pressure)	≥ 3.3 x 10 <sup>-4</sup> ft/s at 2.9 psi	DIN 60500-4 (modified ASTM D5493)	
In-lane water permeability (transmissivity) under load (pressure)	[a] ≥ 1.6 x 10 <sup>-3</sup> ft/s at 2.9 psi [b] ≥ 6.6 x 10 <sup>-3</sup> ft/s at 2.9 psi	ISO 12958 (ASTM D 6574) or ISO 12958 (modified ASTM D 4716)	
Weather resistance	Retained strength ≥ 60 percent (70% average)	EN 12224 (ASTM D 4355 @ 500 hr exposure for grey, white, or black material only)	
Alkali resistance	≥ 96 percent polypropylene/polyethylene	EN 13249, Annex B (Certification)	

# Table 7011.02: Geotextile Separation Layer

Calendering is a process that passes the geotextile through one or more heated rollers during the manufacturing process. The surface of the geotextile is modified during this process. Calendering may reduce the absorption properties of the geotextile on the calendered side.

## 2.01 MATERIALS (Continued)

## M. Covering:

- 1. Burlap: Comply with <u>lowa DOT Section 4104</u>.
- 2. Plastic Film: Comply with lowa DOT Section 4106.
- 3. Insulating Cover: Comply with <u>lowa DOT Section 4106</u>.

## 2.02 CONCRETE MIXES

- A. Mix Design: Comply with Section 7010, 2.01 and 2.02, except as modified below:
  - 1. Provide C-3WR or C-4WR for bonded overlays.
  - 2. Comply with Iowa DOT Class C mix meeting the requirements of <u>Iowa DOT Materials</u> <u>I.M. 529</u>.
  - 2. Ensure compatibility of all material combinations. If the concrete materials are not producing a workable concrete mixture, a change in the material may be required. Changes will be at no additional cost to the Contracting Authority.
- B. Consistency and Workability: Comply with Section 7010, 2.02, B.
- C. Fly Ash and Ground Granulated Blast Furnace Slag (GGBFS) as Supplementary Cementitious Materials: Comply with <u>Section 7010, 2.02, C</u>.

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

#### 3.01 EQUIPMENT

Comply with <u>Section 7010, 3.01</u>.

#### 3.02 CONSTRUCTION

Construct overlays in the same manner as PCC pavement (<u>Section 7010, 3.02</u>), except as modified herein.

- A. Pre and Post Construction: Comply with the contract documents.
- **B.** Overlay Transition Areas: Refer to the contract documents for details of overlay transitions at project limits, bridges, intersections, and other locations.

#### C. Temperature Limitations:

- 1. Air Temperature: Do not place overlay concrete when air or existing pavement surface is below 40°F.
- **2.** Surface Temperature: Do not place overlay on pavement when the surface temperature exceeds 120°F. If the surface is above 110°F:
  - a. Apply water to the pavement surface ahead of the paving operation. Ensure no standing water remains on the pavement at the time the overlay is placed.
  - b. If a fabric separation layer is used, wet the fabric but do not saturate.
  - c. Do not apply water to the surface if the temperature is below 100°F.

### D. Bonded Overlay Surface Preparation:

#### 1. Over PCC:

- a. Remove all dirt, oil, and other foreign materials, as well as any laitance or loose material from the surface against which new concrete is to be placed, including all pavement markings and raised pavement markings.
- b. If the existing pavement is milled, shotblast or waterblast the milled surface.
- c. Complete patching with concrete patches after milling, as shown in the contract documents.
- d. Sweep the prepared surface and blow clean with dry, oil free compressed air directly ahead of the paving operation to remove loose dirt or debris. Keep air blasting operations as close to overlay operations as possible to prevent any resettlement of debris onto the previously cleaned area. If material is subsequently tracked onto the surface, the surface must be re-cleaned.

#### 2. Over HMA:

- a. If required, mill the existing surface to the depth and cross-slope shown in the contract documents. If stripped or loose asphalt is encountered, remove to provide sound structural layer for bonding. Minimum thickness of sound asphalt required for bonding is 3 inches.
- b. Complete patching with concrete patching after milling, as shown in the contract documents. Adjust panel location as necessary so no single overlay panel is located over both asphalt pavement and a concrete patch.
- c. Sweep the prepared surface and blow clean with dry, oil free compressed air directly ahead of the paving operation to remove loose dirt or debris. Keep air blasting operations as close to overlay operations as possible to prevent any resettlement of debris onto the previously cleaned area. If material is subsequently tracked onto the surface, the surface must be re-cleaned.

## 3.02 CONSTRUCTION (Continued)

E. Unbonded Overlay Surface Preparation: Clean the existing pavement surface immediately prior to paving to remove dirt or debris.

### 1. Over PCC with HMA Separation Layer:

- a. Do not scarify the existing PCC surface if an HMA separation layer will be constructed.
- b. Use Class II compaction except use only static steel wheeled rollers complying with lowa DOT Articles 2303.03 and 2303.04.

## 2. Over PCC with Geotextile Fabric Separation Layer:

- a. Limit ridges on milled surfaces to 1/4 inch maximum height.
- b. Roll fabric onto pavement and pull fabric tight without wrinkles.
- c. Do not place more fabric than can be paved over within one day.
- d. Overlap adjacent rolls by 8 inches ± 2 inches. No more than three layers should overlap.
- e. Fasten fabric to existing pavement with pneumatic driven nails every 6 feet or less or secure the geotextile with 3M HoldFast 70 Cylinder Spray Adhesive or approved equal. Apply adhesive to all edges of the fabric and as needed to prevent shifting or folding of the fabric during concrete placement.

#### 3. Over HMA:

- a. Mill high spots in the existing asphalt surface as specified in the contract documents.
- b. Remove all loose asphalt material after milling.

## F. Existing Pavement Loading:

- 1. Do not allow concrete delivery trucks to travel over existing pavement unless approved by the Engineer. If approved, limit cleaning and water misting of the existing pavement to just ahead of the paving machine.
- 2. Do not allow loads in excess of the legal axle load on the existing pavement.
- 3. Partially loaded trucks may be required to prevent damage to the existing pavement. If asphalt thickness after milling is 3 inches or less, reduce loaded truck hauling over the existing pavement.

#### G. Paving Suspended:

- 1. Suspend the paving operation where stability of the underlying pavement section has been lost.
- 2. Do not place concrete on an underlying pavement that has become unstable.

#### H. Bar and Reinforcement Placement:

- 1. **Tie Bars:** When the contract documents require tie bars for widening units greater in thickness than the overlay:
  - a. Provide No. 4 tie bars.
  - b. For overlay thickness 4.5 inches or less, secure tie bars to surface of existing pavement.
  - c. For overlay thickness 5 inches or greater, place tie bars at mid-point of overlay thickness.

## 3.02 CONSTRUCTION (Continued)

## 2. Dowel Bars:

- a. At least 7 days prior to the beginning of concrete paving, submit a written Quality Control Plan that provides a method for keeping the dowel basket assemblies anchored to the subgrade, the existing pavement, or bond breaker layer and into the underlying pavement. Ensure the Quality Control Plan includes the following:
  - 1) Proposed type and number of fasteners
  - 2) Proposed installation equipment
  - 3) Dowel basket assembly anchoring plan (i.e. anchor all basket assemblies prior to concrete placement, one lane at a time, anchor all basket assemblies during the concrete placement operation, etc.)
  - 4) Action plan if misaligned baskets are identified during concrete pavement placement
- b. Paving operations may be suspended by the Engineer if basket anchoring fails to comply with the Quality Control Plan.

## I. Surface Curing:

- 1. For bonded concrete overlays, apply curing compound at twice the standard rate recommended by the manufacturer.
- 2. For unbonded concrete overlays 6 inches or thinner, apply curing compound at twice the standard rate recommended by the manufacturer.
- 3. If PAMS curing compound is specified per Section 7011, 2.01, J, apply at the rate recommended by the manufacturer.

#### J. Saw Joints:

- 1. General: Submit a plan for the Engineer's approval, which includes the following items.
  - a. Method(s) for assuring adequate sawcut depth in areas of variable concrete overlay thickness.
  - b. Anticipated production rate of concrete overlay placement.
  - c. Estimated number of saws necessary to prevent random cracking.
  - d. Appropriate corrective actions should random cracking occur.
  - e. Seal all joints unless directed otherwise.
- 2. Bonded Overlay Over Existing Concrete Pavement: Submit a plan for the Engineer's approval, which includes the following items.
  - a. Marking of all existing joint locations to ensure that joints in the overlay will be placed directly over all existing joints in the underlying concrete pavement.
  - b. Transverse Joints:
    - 1) Saw transverse contraction joints directly over the existing concrete joint the full depth of the overlay plus 1/2 inch (including accommodating variable thickness of the bonded concrete overlay).
    - 2) Ensure that the width of the sawed transverse joints in the bonded concrete overlay exceeds the width of the crack opening in the underlying joints.
  - c. Longitudinal Joints: Saw directly over existing joints full depth.

## 3. Bonded Overlay Over Existing Asphalt or Composite Pavement:

- a. Transverse Joint: Saw to a depth of 1/3 of the overlay thickness or no less than 1.25 inches with an early entry saw.
- b. Longitudinal Joints: Saw to a depth of 1/3 of the overlay thickness.
- c. Expansion Joints: Match expansion joints in the bonded overlay to those in the existing concrete pavement.

## 3.02 CONSTRUCTION (Continued)

## 4. Unbonded Overlays Over Concrete, Composite, or Asphalt Pavement:

- **a. Transverse Joints:** Saw to a depth of 1/3 of the overlay thickness or no less than 1.25 inches with an early entry saw.
- **b.** Longitudinal Joints: Saw to a depth of 1/3 of the overlay thickness.
- **c. Expansion Joints:** Match expansion joints in the bonded overlay to those in the existing concrete pavement.

## 3.03 CURB AND GUTTER CONSTRUCTION

Comply with Section 7010, 3.03.

## 3.04 PAVEMENT PROTECTION

Comply with <u>Section 7010, 3.04</u>.

## 3.05 USE OF PAVEMENT

Comply with Section 7010, 3.05.

## 3.06 TRANSPORTATION RESTRICTIONS

Comply with Section 7010, 3.06.

## 3.07 QUALITY CONTROL

Comply with <u>Section 7010, 3.07</u>.

END OF SECTION

## HOT MIX ASPHALT PAVEMENT

## PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Hot Mix Asphalt (HMA) Pavement
- B. Base Widening

#### 1.02 DESCRIPTION OF WORK

- A. Includes the requirements for the construction of HMA surface, intermediate, and base courses placed upon a prepared subgrade, subbase, base, or pavement and HMA base widening.
- B. Comply with <u>lowa DOT Section 2303</u> for construction of HMA pavement and base widening, except as modified herein.
  - 1. Provide Quality Management Asphalt (QM-A) for bid items with HMA quantities exceeding 1,000 tons. Provide quality control for bid items with HMA quantities of 1,000 tons or less according to Section 7020, 3.06.
  - 2. Refer to Table 7020.01 for gyratory mixture design criteria. Note this table was copied from the <u>SUDAS Design Manual</u>, <u>Section 5D-1</u>.

#### 1.03 SUBMITTALS

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants, as well as the following:

- A. Prepare and submit the job mix formula to the Engineer for approval prior to HMA production.
- B. Provide quality control test results.
- C. Submit all pavement smoothness testing and certifications according to Section 7020, 3.05.
- D. Upon request, provide material certifications to the Engineer.
- E. Submit HMA certifications for all bid items with HMA quantities of 1,000 tons or less, according to Section 7020, 3.06.
- F. Weight receipts should include mix size and type and/or correlate to the bid item.

## 1.04 SUBSTITUTIONS

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants, as well as the following:

	Lover	Gyratory Density		Film	Aggregate <sup>2</sup>						
Mix	Layer Designation	N <sub>des</sub>	Design % G <sub>mm</sub> (target)	Thickness	Quality Type	Crush (min)	FAA (min)	Sand Equivalent (min)			
	0.3 M S		96.0		A <sup>1</sup>	60 <sup>1</sup>					
LT	0.3 M I	50	90.0	8.0 - 15.0	~	00		40			
	0.3 M B		97.0		A <sup>1</sup>	45					
	1M S		06.0	00.0	А	75 <sup>1</sup>	40				
ST	1M I	50	96.0	90.0	96.0	90.0	8.0 - 15.0	A <sup>1</sup>	60 <sup>1</sup>	40 40	40
	1M B		97.0		A'	60.					
	10M S		06.0		А	75					
HT	10M I	75	96.0	8.0 - 15.0	A	75	43	45			
	10M B		96.5		A <sup>1</sup>	60					
For mix design levels exceeding 10M ESALs, see lowa DOT Materials I.M. 510.											

Table 7020.01:Mixture Design Criteria(derived from lowa DOT Materials I.M. 510)

Requirements differing from <u>lowa DOT Materials I.M. 510</u>; for base mixes, aggregate quality improved from B to A and percent crushed aggregate increased by 15%.

<sup>2</sup> Flat & Elongated 10% maximum at a 5:1 ratio

#### 1.05 DELIVERY, STORAGE, HANDLING, AND SALVAGING

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants, as well as the following:

- A. Aggregate Storage: Prevent contamination and intermingling per lowa DOT Section 2303.
- **B.** Salvaged or Reclaimed Materials: Classification of RAP will be as determined by the Iowa DOT. If RAP stockpile classification has not been determined by the Iowa DOT, the Contractor is responsible for obtaining the classification from an outside testing firm using the same tests as the Iowa DOT.
- **C. Disposal:** Dispose of excess HMA according to applicable local, state, and federal regulations in a manner that does not cause damage or harm to adjacent properties or public facilities.

## 1.06 SCHEDULING AND CONFLICTS

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants, as well as the following:

Complete elements of the work that can affect line and grade in advance of other open cut construction unless noted on plans.

## 1.07 SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS

None.

## 1.08 MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT

#### A. HMA Pavement by Ton:

- 1. **Measurement:** Measurement will be in tons of HMA pavement.
- 2. Payment: Payment will be at the unit price per ton of HMA pavement.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, asphalt mix with asphalt binder, tack coats between layers, construction zone protection, and quality control.

## B. HMA Pavement by Square Yards:

- 1. **Measurement:** Measurement will be in square yards for each different thickness of HMA pavement. The area of manholes, intakes, or other fixtures in the pavement will not be deducted from the measured pavement area.
- 2. **Payment:** Payment will be at the unit price per square yard for each thickness of HMA pavement.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, asphalt mix with asphalt binder, tack coats between layers, construction zone protection, and quality control.

## C. HMA Base Widening by Ton:

- 1. Measurement: Measurement will be in tons of HMA base widening.
- 2. Payment: Payment will be at the unit price per ton of HMA base widening.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, asphalt mix with asphalt binder, tack coat between layers, construction zone protection, and quality control.

#### D. HMA Base Widening by Square Yard:

- 1. **Measurement:** Measurement will be in square yards for each different thickness of HMA base widening. The area of manholes, intakes, or other fixtures in the pavement will not be deducted from the measured base widening area.
- **2. Payment:** Payment will be at the unit price per square yard for each thickness of HMA base widening.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, asphalt mix with asphalt binder, tack coat between layers, construction zone protection, and quality control.

### E. HMA Railroad Crossing Approach:

- 1. **Measurement:** Measurement will be in square yards of railroad crossing approach.
- **2. Payment:** Payment will be at the unit price per square yard of railroad crossing approach.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes but is not limited to excavation for modified subbase and subdrain, furnishing and installing subdrain, furnishing and installing subdrain outlet, furnishing and installing porous backfill material, furnishing and installing fiber board barrier, furnishing and placing modified subbase material, furnishing and applying tack coat, furnishing, placing, and compacting HMA.

## 1.08 MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT (Continued)

## F. Density Deficiency:

- 1. **Measurement:** Measurement will be in square yards for each different density of HMA pavement subject to a unit price reduction for density deficiency according to Section 7020, 3.04.
- 2. Payment: Payment will be at the reduced unit price according to Table 7020.02 for each density of HMA pavement. If there is a density deficiency on a privately contracted roadway project, the Jurisdiction ultimately accepting ownership of the roadway will receive the penalty payment prior to acceptance of the work.

## G. HMA Pavement Thickness Deficiency:

- 1. **Measurement:** Measurement will be in square yards for each different thickness of HMA pavement that has deficient pavement thickness as determined in Section 7020, 3.04.
- 2. **Payment:** Payment will be at the percentage of the unit price indicated in Table 7020.03 for each different thickness of HMA pavement. If there is a pavement thickness deficiency on a privately contracted roadway project, the Jurisdiction ultimately accepting ownership of the roadway will receive the penalty payment prior to acceptance of the work.

## H. HMA Pavement Smoothness Deficiency:

- 1. **Measurement:** Measurement will be in square yards for each different segment of HMA pavement subject to a unit price reduction for pavement smoothness according to Section 7020, 3.05.
- 2. **Payment:** Payment will be at the reduced unit price according to Table 7020.04 for each segment of HMA pavement. If there is a pavement smoothness deficiency on a privately contracted roadway project, the Jurisdiction ultimately accepting ownership of the roadway will receive the penalty payment prior to acceptance of the work.

## I. HMA Pavement Samples and Testing:

- **1. Measurement:** Lump sum item; no measurement will be made.
- **2. Payment:** Payment will be at the lump sum price for HMA pavement samples and testing.
- **3. Includes:** Lump sum price includes, but is not limited to, certified plant inspection, pavement thickness cores, density analysis, profilograph pavement smoothness measurement (when required by the contract documents), and air void testing.
- J. Fixture Adjustment: Comply with <u>Section 6010</u> for adjustment of manholes and intakes and <u>Section 5020</u> for adjustment of water valves and fire hydrants.
- K. Pavement Removal: Comply with Section 7040.
- L. Subgrade and Subbase: For excavation and construction of subgrade and subbase, comply with <u>Section 2010</u>.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

## 2.01 HMA MATERIALS

Comply with <u>lowa DOT Section 2303</u>, with the following exception:

Follow the procedure outlined in <u>Iowa DOT Materials I.M. 510</u> for HMA mixture designs, except replace Table 1 in Appendix A, HMA Mixture Design Criteria with the SUDAS HMA Mixture Design Criteria (Table 7020.01) (Tables 2 through 4 in Appendix A still apply).

## 2.02 WARM MIX ASPHALT MATERIALS

If use of warm mix asphalt (WMA) is approved by the Jurisdiction, comply with <u>lowa DOT Section</u> <u>2303</u>.

## 2.03 RECYCLED ASPHALT MATERIALS

- **A.** Recycled Asphalt Pavement: If use of recycled asphalt pavement (RAP) is approved by the Jurisdiction, comply with <u>lowa DOT Section 2303</u>.
- **B.** Recycled Asphalt Shingles: If use of recycled asphalt shingles (RAS) is approved by the Jurisdiction, comply with <u>lowa DOT Section 2303</u>.

## 2.04 SUBGRADE AND SUBBASE

Comply with <u>Section 2010</u>.

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

## 3.01 HMA PAVEMENT

Construct according to lowa DOT Section 2303 and the following:

- A. Preparation of Pavement Foundation: Construct subgrade and subbase according to <u>Section 2010</u>.
- **B.** Compaction: Compact to a minimum of 94% of laboratory density. Do not exceed 8% average air void level for roadway density specimens.
- **C.** Tack Coats: Apply tack coats according to <u>lowa DOT Section 2303</u>. In addition, if the emulsion is diluted, the dilution must be done by the manufacturer and certified. Provide the Engineer with the new application rate required to achieve the specified undiluted application rate.
- **D.** Fillets and Runouts: Rake out coarse aggregate prior to shaping and compaction of fillets and runouts.
- E. HMA Railroad Crossing Approach: Construct according to <u>Section 7020</u> and <u>Figure</u> <u>7020.902</u>.

## F. Fixtures in the Pavement Surface:

- Adjust manhole frames and other fixtures within area to be paved to conform to finished surface. Comply with <u>Section 6010, 3.04</u> for manhole adjustments and <u>Section 5020</u>, <u>3.04</u> for water fixture adjustments.
- 2. Clean outside of fixture to depth of pavement before asphalt placement.
- 3. Construct boxouts where allowed for later adjustment of fixtures. See <u>Figure 7020.201</u> for the size and shape of the boxout.
- **G. Samples and Testing:** Take samples from the compacted material and test according to Section 7020, 3.04. Randomly locate samples in the pavement area Notify the Jurisdiction the day prior to coring and testing to give the Jurisdiction the opportunity to witness coring and testing.

#### 3.02 BASE WIDENING

- A. Equipment: Use equipment complying with lowa DOT Section 2213.
- B. Conditions:
  - 1. Resurfacing over Concrete Base Widening: When the existing pavement is HMA material over concrete pavement, saw or mill the old asphalt to the full depth of the proposed resurfacing or to depth of sound material producing a reasonable vertical line at the edge of the underlying concrete.
  - 2. HMA Base Widening: Apply a tack coat to the vertical edge of the old pavement at a rate of 0.10 to 0.15 gallon per square yard according to Section 7020, 3.01. No waiting period will be required before placing the widening.

## 3.02 BASE WIDENING (Continued)

## C. Preparation of Subgrade:

- 1. Cut the width of the trench for the widening at least 6 inches greater than the base width of the widening according to the contract documents. If widening roadways with open ditches, provide ditches or drains from the widening trench at frequent intervals to allow subgrade drainage to side ditches.
- 2. Construct subgrade and subbase according to <u>Section 2010</u>.
- 3. Bring the subgrade to an elevation and cross-section such that, after being compacted to a minimum of 95% of maximum Standard Proctor Density, the surface will be at the required elevation.
- 4. Remove material, other than sand, that will not readily compact. Replace with material that will readily compact and roll that portion of the subgrade again. Use an appropriate roller complying with <u>lowa DOT Article 2001.05</u>.
- 5. While constructing the subgrade, maintain the soil in a condition sufficiently moist to facilitate compaction.
- 6. Check the finished subgrade with a template supported on the surface of the adjacent pavement. Clean the edge of the old pavement.

## D. Construction:

- 1. Place the HMA mixture in the number of lifts required to produce the required thickness. Do not allow the compacted thickness of the top lift to exceed 2 1/2 inches.
- 2. The maximum compacted thickness of lower lifts may exceed 3 inches if the thicker lifts demonstrate satisfactory compaction. Maximum lift thickness shall be 4 1/2 inches.
- 3. Do not place HMA on the surface of the existing pavement, and immediately remove any spilled base material.
- 4. Ensure that, after compaction, the constructed width conforms to the required width.
- 5. Promptly and thoroughly compact each lift. Comply with Section 7020, 3.01.
- 6. Place succeeding lifts of HMA material as soon as the previous lift has been compacted.
- 7. Obtain the lab density for that day's HMA paving from an lowa DOT-approved testing lab and based on the job mix formula design criteria.
- 8. Take density samples from the compacted material and test according to Section 7020, 3.04. Randomly locate samples in the area 6 inches from the base being widened to 6 inches from the outside edge of a given pass of the placing equipment. Notify the Jurisdiction the day prior to coring and testing to give the Jurisdiction the opportunity to witness coring and testing.
- 9. When the contract for base widening does not include resurfacing, construct the final surface of widening flush with, or no more than 1/8 inch below, the surface of the old pavement.
- 10. Do not open the widening to traffic until it has cooled sufficiently to support the traffic without displacement or movement.

## 3.03 PROTECTION FROM TRAFFIC

## A. General:

- 1. Protect the new pavement and its appurtenances damages caused by traffic, both public and that of the Contractor's own employees and agents, at no additional cost to the Contracting Authority. This includes the erection and maintenance of warning signs, lights, fence, and barricades; flaggers to direct traffic; and pavement bridges or crossovers as appropriate.
- 2. Do not operate equipment with metal tracks, metal bucket blades, or metal motor patrol blades directly on new paving. Do not unload soil or granular materials, including base rock for storage and future reloading directly onto new paving.

## B. End of Day's Run:

- 1. At the end of each day's run and at all side streets, erect and maintain safety barriers and fencing as necessary to protect the pavement from damage.
- 2. Install construction zone protection upon completion of paving operations. Leave protection in place and maintained until the pavement has cooled sufficiently to withstand traffic without damage.
- **3**. Intermediate construction zone protection may be required for the purpose of opening the pavement for access to a side road, side street, or entrances.
- **C. Repair of Damages:** At the discretion of the Engineer, and at no additional cost to the Contracting Authority, repair or replace any part of the pavement damaged by traffic or other causes occurring prior to final acceptance of the pavement.

## 3.04 DEFECTS OR DEFICIENCIES

## A. Repairs Required:

- 1. Remove and replace or repair pavement containing excessive cracks, deformities, deficiencies, or other defects at no additional cost to the Contracting Authority. The method of replacement or repair will be determined by the Engineer. Extended warranty may be approved by the Engineer.
- 2. Areas to be replaced will be determined by the Engineer. Complete all repairs according to <u>Section 7040</u>.

## B. Density Deficiencies:

 The Engineer will obtain and test 7 samples for each lot according to <u>lowa DOT Materials</u> <u>I.M. 204</u> <u>Appendix F</u>. The quality index for density of each lot will be determined by the following formula:

Density (Q.I.) = (Average G<sub>mb</sub>)<sub>Field Lot</sub> - ((% Density)<sub>Specified</sub> x (Average G<sub>mb</sub>)<sub>Lab Lot</sub>) (Standard Deviation G<sub>mb</sub>)<sub>Field Lot</sub>

where  $G_{mb}$  = bulk Specific Gravity of the mixture

## 3.04 DEFECTS OR DEFICIENCIES (Continued)

2. Payment will be adjusted according to the density requirements of Table 7020.02 for the quality index for density determined for the lot:

Density Index 7 Samples <sup>1</sup>	Percent Payment
greater than 0.72	100
0.40 to 0.72	95
0.00 to 0.39	85
less than 0.00	75 Maximum

### Table 7020.02: Pay Factor for HMA Pavement Density

<sup>1</sup>Or 6 samples and 1 outlier. Only one outlier will be allowed.

No incentive payment for pavement density will be made.

## C. Thickness Deficiencies:

- 1. The Engineer will measure the cores according to <u>lowa DOT Materials I.M. 337</u>. All areas of uniform and similar thickness and width for the project will be divided into lots.
- 2. The thickness of the completed course will be measured to the nearest 1/8 inch, exclusive of seal coat. All areas of uniform and similar thickness and width for the project will be divided into lots. The frequency specified for taking density samples from the surface lift will be used when measuring for completed thickness. However, samples that may not be tested for density because they are less than 70% of the intended thickness will be used for thickness, and in these particular instances, the additional samples of sufficient thickness that are used for density tests will not be measured for thickness. Thickness samples will be taken full depth of the completed course and after measurement; remove the density samples for the top layer from the core. If any of the measurements for a lot is less than the designated thickness, the quality index for thickness of that lot will be determined by the following formula:

Thickness (Q.I.) = <u>Avg. Thickness - (Design Thickness - 0.50)</u> Max Thickness - Minimum Thickness

3. Payment will be further adjusted by the appropriate percentage according to the quality index for thickness determined for that lot and the following table:

Thickness Index 7 Samples	Percent Payment (Previously Adjusted for Density)
greater than 0.34	100
0.14 to 0.34	95
0.00 to 0.13	85
less than 0.00	75 Maximum

 Table 7020.03: Pay Factor for HMA Pavement Thickness

No incentive payment for pavement thickness will be made.

#### 3.05 PAVEMENT SMOOTHNESS

A. Straightedge: The Engineer will check HMA pavement surfaces with a 10 foot straightedge placed parallel to the centerline. Areas showing high spots of more than 1/4 of an inch in 10 feet will be marked. Complete surface corrections according to the procedures in <u>lowa DOT</u> <u>Section 2316</u> to an elevation where the area or spot will not show surface deviations in excess of 1/8 inch when tested with a 10 foot straightedge. Surface corrections will be completed at the direction of the Engineer with no additional cost to the Contracting Authority.

## 3.05 PAVEMENT SMOOTHNESS (Continued)

## B. Profilograph:

- If specified in the contract documents, comply with <u>lowa DOT Section 2316</u> to measure pavement smoothness with a profilograph. Ensure the evaluation is certified according to <u>lowa DOT Materials I.M. 341</u>. Position the center wheel of the profilometer 6 feet from the centerline or the lane line.
- 2. Evaluate according to the smoothness requirements of Table 7020.04 and make surface corrections and/or price reductions. Surface corrections will be completed with no additional cost to the Contracting Authority. No incentive for pavement smoothness will be made.

Initial Profile Index (inch/mile/segment)	New Pavements (\$/segment)	Resurfaced Pavements (\$/segment)
12.1 - 22.0	Unit price	Unit price
22.1 - 30.0	\$500	\$250
30.1 and over <sup>1</sup>	Grind only	Grind only

#### Table 7020.04: Price Reduction for Pavement Smoothness

<sup>1</sup> For segments with an initial index of 30.1 and over, grind the surface to a finish index of 22.0 or better. In lieu of accepting a price reduction and grinding the surface to a final index of 22.0 or better, the Contractor may elect to replace part or the entire segment.

## 3.06 QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Provide Quality Management Asphalt (QM-A) for bid items with HMA quantities exceeding 1,000 tons. On locally let projects, all testing normally conducted by the Iowa DOT may be performed by the Jurisdiction or an independent testing laboratory hired by the Jurisdiction.
  - 1. General: Follow the procedures and meet the criteria established in <u>Iowa DOT Article</u> <u>2303.03, B</u>; <u>Section 2521</u>; and <u>Materials I.M. 510</u> and <u>511</u>. Percent within Limits (PWL) stipulations in these documents is not required.
  - 2. Mix Design Job Mix Formula (JMF):
    - a. The Contractor is responsible for the JMF for each mixture.
    - b. Submit a completed JMF for approval to the materials lab designated by the Contracting Authority. Submit supporting documentation demonstrating the design process was followed and how the recommended JMF was determined. Include an economic evaluation when required according to <u>lowa DOT Section 2303</u>. Include trial and final proposed aggregate proportions and corresponding gyratory data. In addition, submit sufficient loose mixture and individual material samples for approval of the design if requested by the Engineer.
    - c. The person preparing the JMF must be Iowa DOT certified in bituminous mix design.
    - d. If the JMF is not satisfactory, submit another JMF for review. An approved JMF will be required prior to beginning plant production.
  - 3. Plant Production:
    - a. General:
      - 1) Perform sampling and testing to provide the quality control of the mixture during plant production. Certified Plant Inspection according to <u>lowa DOT Section 2521</u> is required.
      - 2) Ensure personnel performing production quality control testing is Iowa DOT certified for the duties performed.
      - 3) Provide easy and safe access to the location in the plant where samples are taken.

- 4) A "significant mix change" is defined as a single occurrence of an aggregate interchange of greater than 5%, a single occurrence of an asphalt content change greater than 0.2%, or any deletion or introduction of a new material into the mix.
- b. Sampling and Testing:
  - Sample and test asphalt binder to verify the quality of the binder grade. Take asphalt binder samples at random times as directed and witnessed by the Engineer according to <u>lowa DOT Materials I.M. 204</u>.
  - 2) Use cold feed or ignition oven gradation for aggregate gradation control to assure materials are being proportioned according to the specifications. Take aggregate samples at random times as directed and witnessed by the Engineer according to <u>lowa DOT Materials I.M. 204</u>. The Engineer will secure the samples according to lowa DOT Materials I.M. 205, Appendix A.
  - 3) Sample the hot HMA mixture at random locations as directed and witnessed by the Engineer according to <u>lowa DOT Materials I.M. 322</u>. Secure the samples according to <u>lowa DOT Materials I.M. 205</u>, <u>Appendix A</u>.
  - Assist the Engineer with material sampling for verification testing. When the Engineer provides notification that a sample is to be taken, obtain sample within 15 minutes.
  - 5) Each day's production of a mix design will be considered a lot.
    - a) When the anticipated quantity for the day is 2,000 tons or more, divide that day's production into four sublots, with the first sublot being the first 500 tons produced. The Engineer will divide the remaining anticipated quantity for the day into three equally sized sublots.
    - b) When the anticipated quantity for the day is less than 2,000 tons, use the first 500 tons produced for the first daily sublot. The Engineer will establish 750 ton daily sublots for mix production exceeding the first 500 tons.
  - 6) No more than four paired hot HMA mixture samples will be required for acceptance of a lot.
  - 7) Do not take paired samples from the first 100 tons of mix produced each day or the first 100 tons of mix following a significant mix change. When paving operations are staged so each day of placement is less than 100 tons for the entire production of a bid item, establish a sampling plan with the Engineer that includes a minimum of one sample per 2,500 tons.
  - 8) Test the quality control sample of each production paired sample as follows:
    - a) Prepare and compact two gyratory specimens according to <u>lowa DOT</u> <u>Materials I.M. 325G</u>.
    - b) Determine the density for each specimen according to <u>lowa DOT Materials</u> <u>I.M. 321</u>. Average the results to determine sample density.
    - c) Use the field quality control laboratory compaction for field density control. The laboratory density for field control will be the bulk specific gravity of compacted mixture (Gmb) at Ndesign. Bulk specific gravity at Ndesign will be determined by compacting specimens to Nmax and back calculating the bulk specific gravity at Ndesign.
    - d) Determine the Theoretical Maximum Specific Gravity of the uncompacted mixture according to <u>lowa DOT Materials I.M. 350</u> or other test methods recognized by AASHTO or ASTM.
    - e) Determine laboratory air voids for each sample according to <u>lowa DOT</u> <u>Materials I.M. 501</u>.
  - 9) When liquid anti-strip additives are used, satisfy one of the following methods to regulate the quantity of additive:
    - a) Present certification that the equipment used to measure and blend the liquid anti-strip additive:
      - Meets the anti-strip supplier's recommended practice,
      - Is directly tied to the asphalt binder supply system, and
      - Has been calibrated to the equipment manufacturer's guidelines.

- b) Test the binder to measure the quantity of liquid anti-strip additive in the binder for every 5,000 tons of HMA production. Obtain the Engineer's approval for the supplier's test method prior to use of the test.
- c) Run the test method in <u>lowa DOT Materials I.M. 319</u> during production. If unable to certify or test for the presence and quality, run the test method in <u>lowa DOT Materials I.M. 319</u> each 10,000 tons of production to measure the effectiveness of the additive. Ensure test results satisfy the minimum requirements of <u>lowa DOT Article 2303.02</u>, <u>E</u>.
- c. Production Control:
  - 1) After the JMF is established, the combined aggregate furnished for the project, the quantity of asphalt binder, and the laboratory air voids should consistently comply with the JMF, as target values. Control them within the production tolerance given in Table 7020.05.

## Table 7020.05 Production Tolerances

Measured Characteristic	Target Value (%)	Specifications Tolerance (%) <sup>1</sup>
Cold feed gradation No. 4 (4.75 mm) and larger sieves	by JMF	± 7.0
Cold feed gradation No. 8 (2.36 mm)	by JMF	± 5.0
Cold feed gradation No. 30 (600 µm)	by JMF	± 4.0
Cold feed gradation No. 200 (75 µm)	by JMF	$\pm 2.0^{2}$
Daily asphalt binder content	by JMF	± 0.3
Field laboratory air voids - absolute deviation from target	0.0 <sup>3</sup>	<1.04

<sup>1</sup> Based on single test unless otherwise specified.

<sup>2</sup> Maintain the filler/bitumen ratio of the plant produced mixture between 0.6 and 1.4.

<sup>3</sup> Unless otherwise specified.

<sup>4</sup> Based on the moving average of four test values.

- 2) Control plant production so that the plant produced HMA mixture will meet mixture design criteria (within the test tolerances given in Table 7020.05) for Air Voids at Ndesign gyrations of the gyratory compactor. Monitor the slope of the gyratory compaction curve of plant produced material. Slope variations in excess of ±0.40 of the mixture design gyratory compaction curve slope may indicate potential problems with uniformity of the mixture.
- 3) The gyratory mix design gradation control points for the size mixture designated in the project plans will not apply to plant production control.
- 4) Strive for the target value of the percent air void and asphalt binder by adjusting gradation and asphalt binder content.
- 5) Produce a uniform composition mixture complying with the JMF.
- 6) Adjustments to the JMF target gradation and asphalt binder content values may be made.
  - a) Determine from quality control testing that adjustments are necessary to achieve the specified properties.
  - b) Consult with the Engineer regarding adjustments to the JMF.
  - c) The Contractor's adjustment recommendations prevail, provided all specifications and established mix criteria are being met for plant production.
- 7) Measure estimated film thickness and voids in the mineral aggregate (VMA) for specifications compliance every day of HMA production.

- 8) Prepare quality control charts according to <u>lowa DOT Materials I.M. 511</u>. Keep the charts current and available showing both individual sample results and moving average values. Base moving average values on four consecutive sample results. Moving averages may restart only in the event of a mandatory plant shutdown for failure to maintain the average within the production tolerance. Include the target value and specifications tolerances on control charts.
- 9) Calculate laboratory voids for individual samples according to <u>lowa DOT</u> <u>Materials I.M. 501</u>. Use the individual density and individual maximum specific gravity determined for each sample. To determine the moving average of laboratory voids, use the average of the last four individual sample laboratory voids.
- 10) Monitor the test results and make mix adjustments, when appropriate, to keep the mixture near the target values. Notify the Engineer whenever the process approaches a specification tolerance limit. Cease operations when the moving average point for laboratory air voids is outside the specification tolerance limit. Assume responsibility to cease operations, including not incorporating material which has not been placed. Do not start the process again until notifying the Engineer of the corrective action proposed.
- B. Provide quality control for bid items with HMA quantities of 1,000 tons or less as follows:
  - Mix Design: Prepare the job mix formula. Prior to HMA production, obtain the Engineer's approval for the job mix formula. Comply with <u>lowa DOT Article 2303.02</u> and <u>lowa DOT</u> <u>Materials I.M. 510</u>. Submit for approval.
  - 2. Plant Production: Use a current calibration of the HMA production plant for the job mix formula no more than 12 months old. Maintain an asphalt binder log to track when the binder was delivered. Identify the job mix formula on the HMA delivery ticket. Use certified asphalt binder and approved aggregate sources meeting the job mix formula. Monitor the quality control test results and make adjustments to keep the mixture near the target job mix formula values.
  - 3. Construction: Take density measurements of the compacted mixture. Use the field quality control laboratory compaction for field density control as specified in Section 7020, 3.04. The Engineer may accept the density of the compacted layer based on cores or density gauge. The Engineer may waive density measurement provided the compaction has been thorough and effective. Take density measurements of the compacted mixture no later than the next working day following placement and compaction. For small quantities, a lot is the entire quantity of each HMA mixture bid item. The quality index for density will not apply to small quantities.
  - 4. Sampling and Testing: Material sampling and testing is for production quality control only. Acceptance of mixture is based on Contractor certification. Perform a minimum of one aggregate cold-feed and one loose HMA test per lot. Sampling and testing of loose HMA is only required for mechanically placed mixture. All sampling and testing procedures will follow the Iowa DOT Specifications and Materials I.M.s using certified technicians and qualified testing equipment. The Engineer may approve alternative sampling procedures, or may approve sampling of uncompacted mix and gradation if Contractor can provide plant reports for other recent projects(s) demonstrating the job mix formula has been produced according to the specifications. Take the sample between the first 100 to 200 tons of production. No split samples for agency correlation testing are required. Asphalt binder will be accepted based on the asphalt supplier's shipment certification. No binder sampling or testing is required. No material sampling or testing is required for daily HMA production of less than 100 tons on any project.

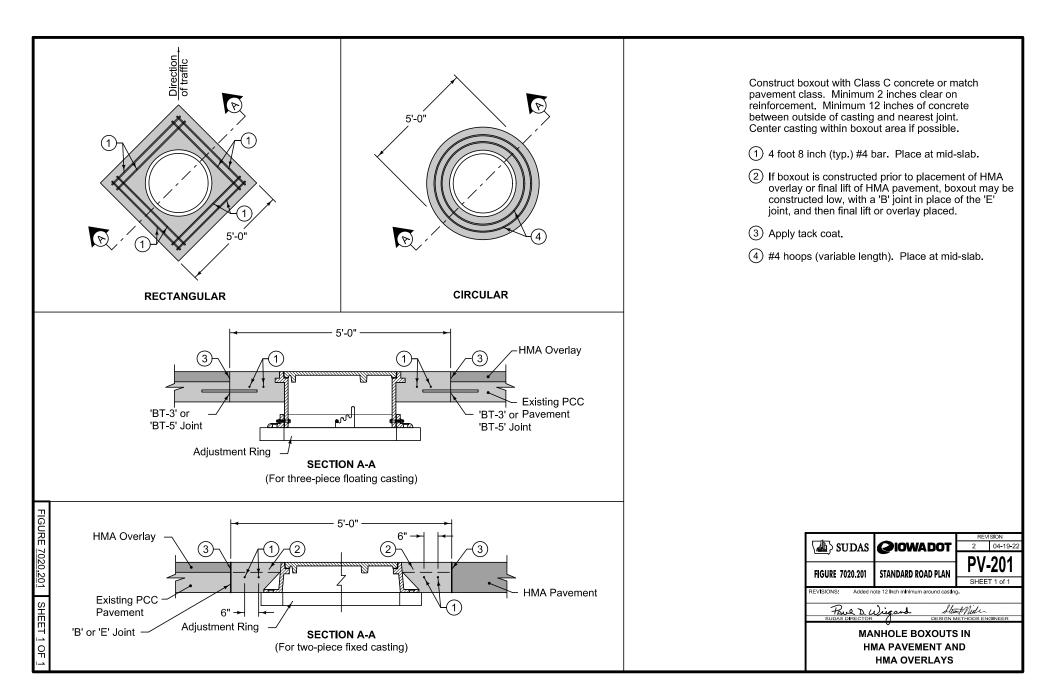
5. Certification: Provide a certification for the production of any mixture in which the requirements in this section for small quantities or are applied. Place the test results and certification statement on the Iowa DOT Daily Plant Report. The Daily Plant Report for certified HMA may be submitted at the end of the project for all certified HMA quantities, or submitted at intervals for portions of the certified quantity. Use the following certification statement:

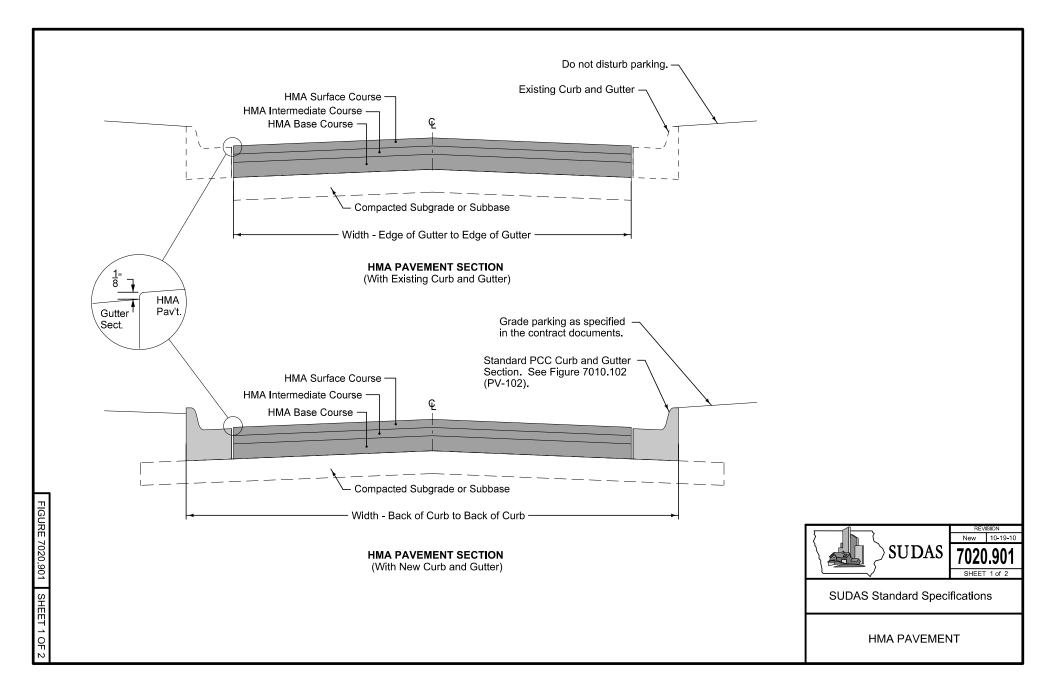
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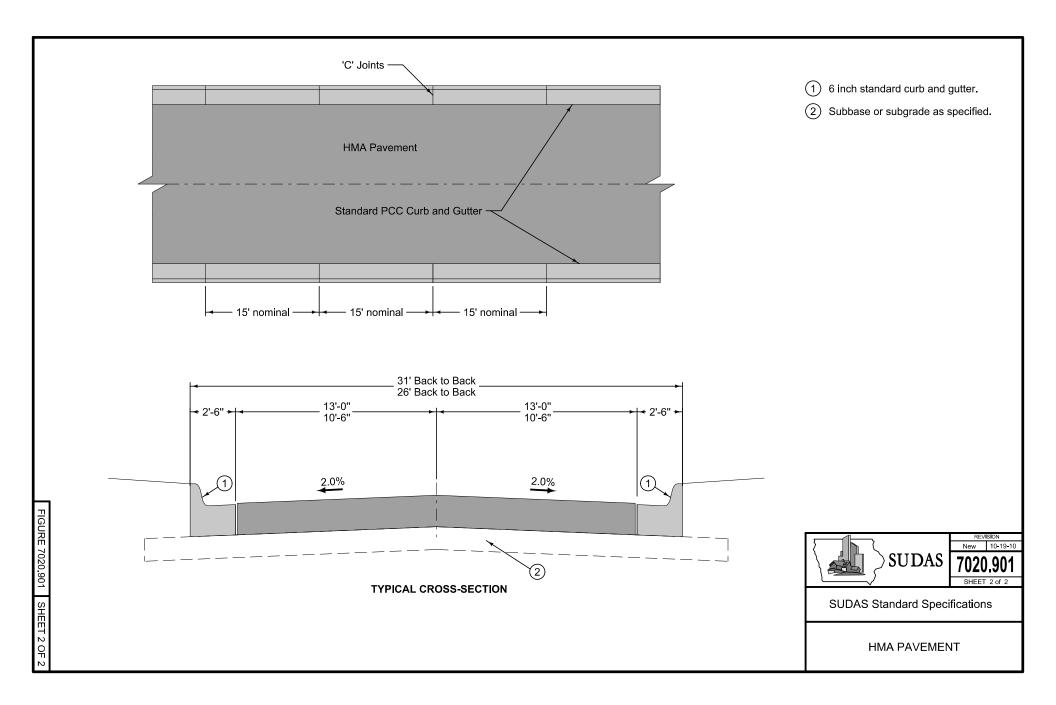
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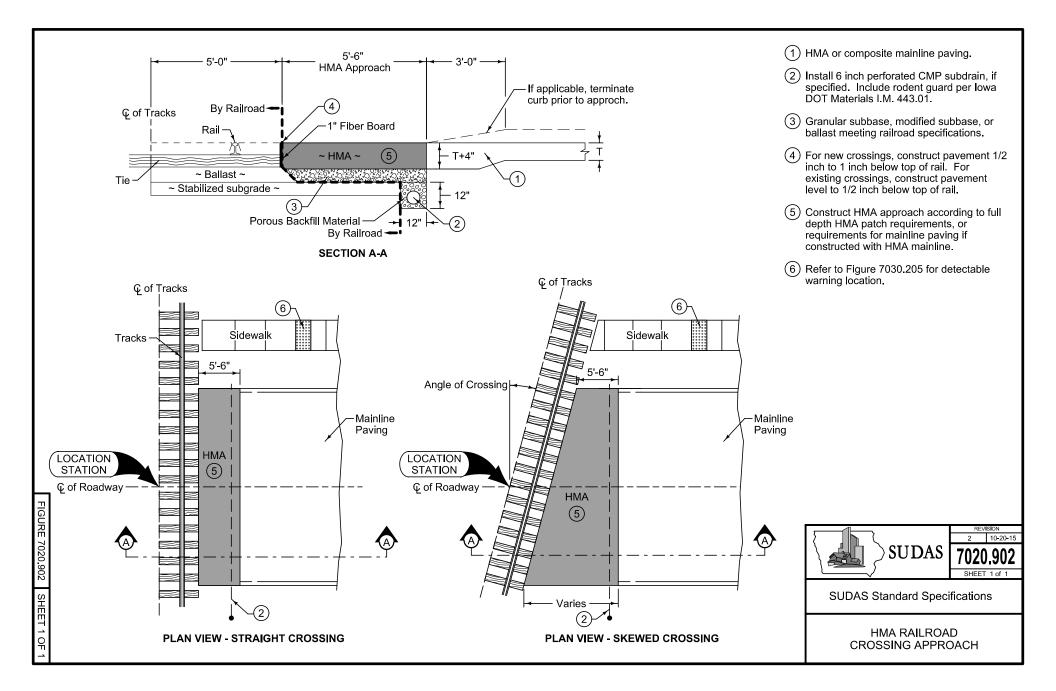
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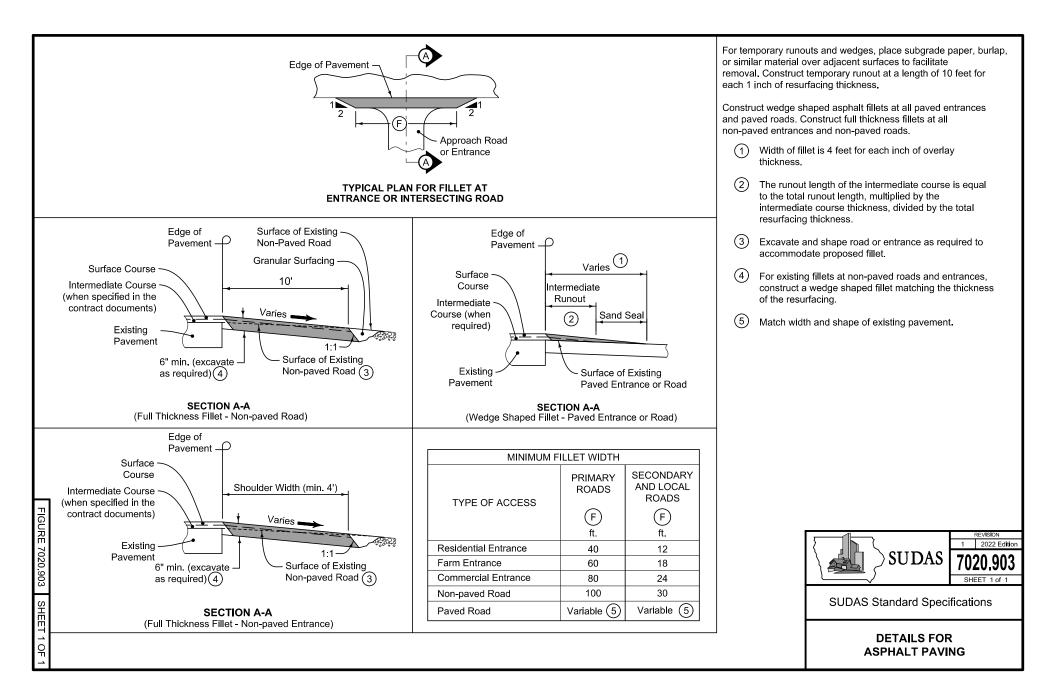
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## HOT MIX ASPHALT OVERLAYS

#### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

HMA Overlays

## 1.02 DESCRIPTION OF WORK

Includes the requirements for the construction of HMA overlay surface course placed upon an existing pavement.

### 1.03 SUBMITTALS

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants and Section 7020, 1.03.

#### 1.04 SUBSTITUTIONS

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants.

## 1.05 DELIVERY, STORAGE, HANDLING, AND SALVAGING

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants and Section 7020, 1.05.

#### 1.06 SCHEDULING AND CONFLICTS

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants, as well as Section 7020, 1.06.

#### 1.07 SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS

None.

#### 1.08 MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT

Comply with <u>Section 7020, 1.08</u>, except as modified herein:

#### A. HMA Overlay by Ton:

- 1. **Measurement:** Measurement will be in tons of HMA overlay.
- 2. Payment: Payment will be at the unit price per ton of HMA overlay.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, asphalt mix with asphalt binder, tack coats between layers, construction zone protection, and quality control.

## B. HMA Overlay by Square Yards:

- 1. **Measurement:** Measurement will be in square yards for each different thickness of HMA overlay. The area of manholes, intakes, or other fixtures in the pavement will not be deducted from the measured pavement area.
- **2. Payment:** Payment will be at the unit price per square yard for each thickness of HMA overlay.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, asphalt mix with asphalt binder, tack coat, construction zone protection, and quality control.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

## 2.01 HMA OVERLAY MATERIALS

Comply with <u>lowa DOT Section 2303</u>, with the following exception:

Follow the procedure outlined in <u>lowa DOT Materials I.M. 510</u> for HMA mixture designs, except replace Table 1 in Appendix A, HMA Mixture Design Criteria with the SUDAS HMA Mixture Design Criteria (Table 7020.01) (Tables 2 through 4 in Appendix A still apply).

## 2.02 WARM MIX ASPHALT MATERIALS

If use of warm mix asphalt (WMA) is approved by the Jurisdiction, comply with <u>lowa DOT Section</u> <u>2303</u>.

## 2.03 RECYCLED ASPHALT MATERIALS

When recycled asphalt materials (RAM) are used and they exceed 20% replacement of the total binder, the binder grades may need to be modified. Comply with <u>lowa DOT Materials I.M. 510</u>.

- **A.** Recycled Asphalt Pavement: If use of recycled asphalt pavement (RAP) is approved by the Jurisdiction, comply with <u>lowa DOT Section 2303</u>.
- **B.** Recycled Asphalt Shingles: If use of recycled asphalt shingles (RAS) is approved by the jurisdiction, comply with <u>lowa DOT Section 2303</u>.

## 2.04 BINDER GRADES

- A. Conventional Overlays: Use the specified binder grade.
- **B. HMA Interlayer:** Use PG 58-34E meeting AASHTO T 321 with minimum 100,000 cycles to failure. Comply with <u>Iowa DOT Materials I.M. 510A</u>. Do not use RAP.
- **C. High Performance Thin Lift:** Use PG 64-34E+ complying with requirements of PG 64-34E except that a minimum percent recovery of 90% when tested at 64°C per AASHTO T 350 at 3.2kPa is required. Comply with <u>lowa DOT I.M. 510A</u>. Do not use RAS.

#### 2.05 HIGH PERFORMANCE THIN LIFT

#### A. Mix Design:

Design Gyrations	50
Design Voids Target (based on %Gmm)	≤ 2.0
Film Thickness	8.0 to 15.0
Aggregate Quality	Α
Minimum crushed content	50%
FAA minimum	40
Minimum sand equivalency	50
Friction Aggregate	Minimum 50% Type 4 or better

B. Replacement: Do not use more than 15% binder replacement. Do not use RAS.

## 2.05 HIGH PERFORMANCE THIN LIFT (CONTINUED)

## C. Gradation:

Sieve Size	Minimum Percent Passing	Maximum Percent Passing
1 1/2"		
1"		
3/8"	91	100
No. 4		90
No. 8	27	63
No. 16		
No. 30		
No. 50		
No. 100		
No. 200	2	10

## 2.06 NOMINAL AGGREGATE SIZE FOR ASPHALT OVERLAYS

Nominal aggregate size dictates lift thickness. Minimum lift thickness should be at least 3 times the nominal maximum aggregate size to ensure aggregate can be aligned during compaction to achieve required density. Therefore, desired lift thickness can direct the decision on nominal aggregate size to use.

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

## 3.01 HMA OVERLAY

Comply with Section 7020, Iowa DOT Section 2303, Section 7040, and the following:

### A. Preparation of Existing Pavement:

- 1. Remove pavement by milling as required by the contract documents. Mill to the depth, cross-section, or profile specified.
- 2. Sweep existing pavement with approved broom. Provide dust control during brooming.
- 3. If milling is not required, correct irregularities in existing pavement cross slope with partial patching, full-depth patching, and leveling base coat prior to placing the overlay. Use base or intermediate course mixes to correct irregularities. Surface course thickness per plan.

## B. Special Requirements for Thin Lift Overlays and HMA Interlayer:

- 1. Apply tack coat prior to placement of thin lift overlay and HMA interlayer. Comply with <u>Section 7020</u>.
- 2. Compact with static steel wheel roller.

## 3.02 PROTECTION FROM TRAFFIC

Comply with Section 7020, 3.03.

## 3.03 DEFECTS OR DEFICIENCIES

Comply with Section 7020, 3.04.

#### 3.04 PAVEMENT SMOOTHNESS

Comply with <u>Section 7020, 3.05</u>.

#### 3.05 QUALITY CONTROL

A. General: Comply with Section 7020, 3.06.

#### B. Special Requirements for Thin Lift Overlays and HMA Interlayer:

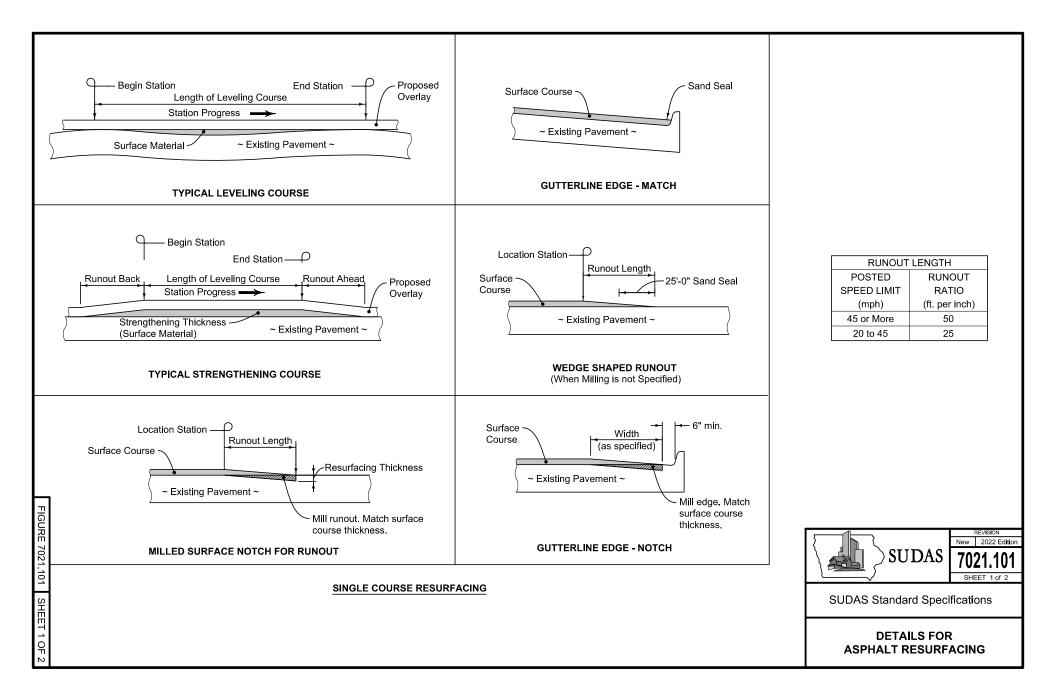
- 1. Complete field voids for Class II compaction as defined in <u>lowa DOT Section 2303</u>.
- 2. Sample and test from windrow or hopper. Apply <u>lowa DOT Article 2303.05, A, 3</u> for AAD acceptance. Air void target is based on approved JMF.
- 3. Take at least one cold feed each day for gradation control.

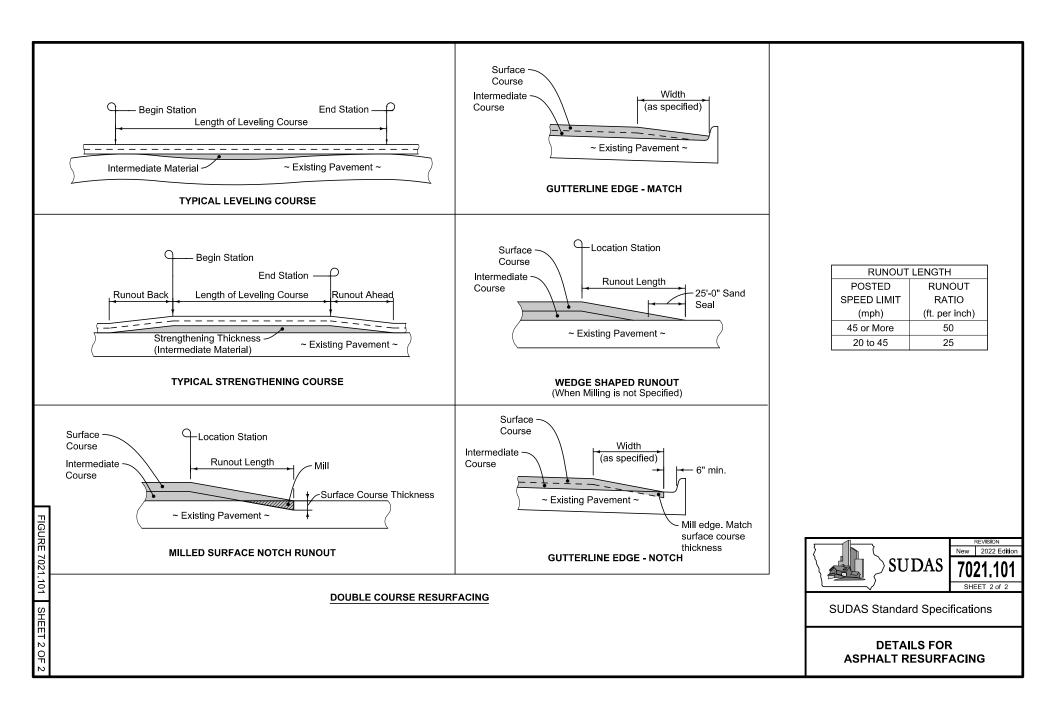
### 3.06 REMOVAL OF PAVEMENT

Comply with <u>Section 7040</u>.

END OF SECTION

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# SIDEWALKS, SHARED USE PATHS, AND DRIVEWAYS

# PART 1 - GENERAL

## 1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Removal of Sidewalks, Shared Use Paths, and Driveways
- B. Installation of Sidewalks, Shared Use Paths, and Driveways

## 1.02 DESCRIPTION OF WORK

- A. Remove existing sidewalks, shared use paths, and driveways.
- B. Install shared use paths.
- C. Install sidewalk.
- D. Install driveway.

## 1.03 SUBMITTALS

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants, as well as the following:

- A. PCC mix design.
- B. HMA mix design.
- C. Brick source, absorption, compressive strength; samples of brick showing texture and color.
- D. Submit type and color of detectable warnings.
- E. Results of required testing.

### 1.04 SUBSTITUTIONS

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants.

## 1.05 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants, as well as the following:

### A. Portland Cement Concrete: See Section 7010.

B. Hot Mix Asphalt: See Section 7020.

# 1.06 SCHEDULING AND CONFLICTS

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants.

# 1.07 SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS

Provide 10 calendar days advance notification of a pedestrian path closure to the Engineer and the National Federation of the Blind of Iowa (<u>www.nfbi.org</u>).

## 1.08 MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT

## A. Removal of Sidewalk, Shared Use Path, or Driveway:

- 1. **Measurement:** Measurement will be in square yards for the area of sidewalks, shared use paths, or driveways removed.
- **2. Payment:** Payment will be at the unit price per square yard for the area of sidewalk, shared use path, or driveway removal.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, sawing, hauling, and disposal of materials removed.

## B. Removal of Curb:

- **1. Measurement:** Measurement will be in linear feet for removal of curb by grinding or sawing, measured along the back of curb.
- 2. Payment: Payment will be at the unit price per linear foot for the removal of curb.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, hauling and disposal of materials removed.

## C. Shared Use Paths:

- 1. **Measurement:** Each type and thickness of shared use paths will be measured in square yards. The area of manholes, intakes, or other fixtures in the pavement will not be deducted from the measured pavement area.
- 2. **Payment:** Payment will be at the unit price per square yard for each type and thickness of shared use path.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, subgrade preparation, jointing, sampling, slope and smoothness testing and correction, and testing.

### D. Special Subgrade Preparation for Shared Use Paths:

- **1. Measurement:** Measurement will be in square yards for special subgrade preparation. Measured area will include 2 feet outside of the pavement on either side of the path.
- **2. Payment:** Payment will be at the unit price per square yard for the area of special subgrade preparation.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, water required to bring subgrade moisture content to within the required limits.

# 1.08 MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT (Continued)

## E. PCC Sidewalk:

- 1. **Measurement:** Each thickness of PCC sidewalk will be measured in square yards. The area of manholes, intakes, or other fixtures in the pavement will not be deducted from the measured pavement area.
- **2. Payment:** Payment will be at the unit price per square yard for each thickness of PCC sidewalk.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, minor grade adjustments at driveways and other intersections, subgrade preparation, formwork, additional thickness at thickened edges, jointing, sampling, slope and smoothness testing and correction, and testing.

### F. Brick/Paver Sidewalk with Pavement Base:

- 1. **Measurement:** Measurement will be in square yards for the area of brick/paver sidewalk placed on a pavement base. The area of pavement base will not be measured separately.
- 2. Payment: Payment will be at the unit price per square yard for the area of brick/paver sidewalk.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, subgrade preparation, pavement base, setting bed, neoprene asphalt adhesive for asphalt setting bed, setting the bricks/pavers, installing weep holes and associated materials, and sand/cement joint filler.

### G. Detectable Warnings:

- 1. **Measurement:** Measurement will be in square feet for the area of detectable warnings installed. Paved area beneath detectable warnings will be measured with sidewalk or shared use path item.
- **2. Payment:** Payment will be at the unit price per square foot for the area of detectable warnings installed.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, steel bar supports and manufactured detectable warning panels.

# 1.08 MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT (Continued)

### H. Driveways:

## 1. Paved Driveways:

- **a. Measurement:** Each type and thickness will be measured in square yards. The area of manholes, intakes, or other fixtures in the pavement will not be deducted from the measured pavement area.
- **b. Payment:** Payment will be at the unit price for each type and thickness of driveway.
- **c. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, excavation, subgrade preparation, jointing, sampling, and testing.

## 2. Granular Surfacing for Driveways:

- **a. Measurement:** Measurement will be in square yards or tons, as specified in the contract documents, for the quantity of granular surfacing placed.
- **b.** Payment: Payment will be at the unit price per square yard or ton, as specified.
- **c. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, excavation and preparation of subgrade.

## I. Sidewalk, Shared Use Path, and Driveway Assurance Testing:

- 1. The Contractor will not be responsible for concrete compression or HMA density testing unless otherwise specified in the contract documents.
- 2. If the contract documents specify that the Contractor is responsible for concrete compression and HMA density testing, performed by an independent testing laboratory hired by the Contractor, measurement and payment will be as follows:
  - a. Measurement: Lump sum item; no measurement will be made.
  - b. Payment: Payment will be at the contract lump sum price.
- 3. The Contractor will be responsible for payments associated with all retesting resulting from failure of initial tests.

# PART 2 - PRODUCTS

## 2.01 PORTLAND CEMENT CONCRETE

- A. Class B or C concrete with materials complying with <u>Section 7010</u>. Use coarse aggregate of Class 2 durability or better.
- B. Comply with the following for PCC mixes for sidewalks, shared use paths, and driveways unless otherwise approved by the Engineer.

	Machine Finish	Hand Finish
Type of Concrete	Class B or C	Class B or C
Slump Minimum	1/2 in.	1/2 in.
Slump Maximum	2 1/2 in.	4 in.
Percent Air Content		
Target	7%	7%
Minimum	6%	6%
Maximum	8 1/2%	8 1/2%

#### Table 7030.01: PCC Mixes

## 2.02 HOT MIX ASPHALT

Comply with <u>Section 7020</u> for mix design.

- A. Use Low Traffic (LT), 1/2 inch or 3/8 inch mix.
- B. For shared use paths adjacent to pavement that also functions as the pavement shoulder, use Low Traffic (LT), 1/2 inch mix.
- C. Use asphalt binder complying with <u>Section 7020</u> with a performance grade of PG 58-28S or 58-34S.

### 2.03 BRICKS/PAVERS

- **A.** Clay Bricks: Use 8 inch by 4 inch by 2 1/4 inch thick clay paving bricks with straight edges or a maximum chamfer of 1/8 inch manufactured to comply with ASTM C 902, Class SX, Type I. Color selection and surface texture as approved by the Engineer.
- **B.** Concrete Pavers: Supply as specified in the contract documents. Use pavers with straight edges or a maximum chamfer of 1/8 inch.

## 2.04 SETTING BED FOR BRICKS/PAVERS

### A. HMA:

- 1. Mixture: Proportion mix using 7% asphalt binder and 93% fine aggregate. Apportion each ton in the approximate ratio of 145 pounds asphalt binder to 1,855 pounds sand. Maintain mix temperature at approximately 250°F during placement.
- 2. Asphalt Binder: Use asphalt binder complying with <u>Section 7020</u> with a performance grade of PG 58-28 or 64-22.
- **3.** Fine Aggregate: Use clean, hard sand with durable particles free from adherent coating, lumps of clay, alkali salts, and organic matter. Use sand that is uniformly graded from coarse to fine with all passing the No. 4 sieve and meeting AASHTO T 27.

## 2.04 SETTING BED FOR BRICKS/PAVERS (CONTINUED)

- **B. Pre-mixed High Performance Cold Mix:** If allowed, substitute a pre-mixed high performance cold mix product for the HMA setting bed generally meeting the HMA mixture requirements noted above.
- **C. Sand:** Use clean, hand sand free from deleterious materials. Use sand meeting ASTM C 33 that is uniformly graded with all passing the No. 4 sieve and 3% or less passing the No. 200 sieve.

# 2.05 NEOPRENE MODIFIED ASPHALT ADHESIVE FOR BRICKS/PAVERS

### A. Mastic (Asphalt Adhesive):

Solids (Base):	74% to 76%
Pounds per Gallon:	8 to 8 1/2 pounds
Solvent:	Mineral spirits with a flash point above 100° F

#### B. Base (2% Neoprene, 10% Asbestos-free Fiber, 88% Asphalt):

Melting Point:	200° F minimum according to ASTM D 36
Penetration:	23 to 27 according to ASTM D 5
Ductility:	1250 mm minimum according to ASTM D 113 @ 25° C, and a rate of 50 mm/minute

#### 2.06 BRICK/PAVER JOINT FILLER

Dry sand-cement mixture consisting of one part masonry cement complying with ASTM C 91 and three parts sand complying with ASTM C 144 and passing the No. 16 sieve. Provide colored cement as specified in the contract documents.

#### 2.07 DETECTABLE WARNINGS

Use manufactured detectable warning panels with a non-slip surface and raised truncated domes. Comply with the Proposed Accessibility Guidelines for Pedestrian Facilities in the Public Right-of-Way (also known as PROWAG) for contrast and dimension requirements. Also comply with <u>lowa DOT Materials I.M. 411</u>.

# 2.08 GRANULAR DRIVEWAY SURFACING

Class A crushed stone or Class C gravel complying with <u>lowa DOT Section 2315</u>.

### 2.09 ISOLATION AND EXPANSION JOINT SEALANT

Use a polyurethane, self-leveling sealant complying with ASTM C 920. Application temperature range of 40 to 120°F. Minimum elongation 700%.

# PART 3 - EXECUTION

## 3.01 REMOVALS

- A. Remove sidewalks, shared use paths, driveways, bricks, and curbs to the removal limits specified in the contract documents.
- B. Saw pavement full depth in straight lines to the specified removal limits.
- C. Remove to the specified removal limits without damage to adjacent property, trees, utilities, or pavement that are to remain in place.
- D. Salvage and stockpile all bricks removed.
- E. Grind or saw existing curbs at locations specified in the contract documents to install sidewalks, shared use paths, and driveways.
- F. Dispose of rubble and debris resulting from removal operations.

#### 3.02 SUBGRADE PREPARATION

#### A. Shared Use Paths:

1. Subgrade Preparation: Comply with lowa DOT Section 2109.

### 2. Special Subgrade Preparation:

- a. Construct subgrade to final elevation.
- b. Scarify and mix the top 6 inches of subgrade material to a width equal to that of the proposed pavement, plus 2 feet on each side.
- c. Compact loose subgrade material with Type A compaction complying with <u>Section</u> <u>2010</u>.
- d. Proof roll compacted subgrade according to <u>Section 2010</u>.

## B. Sidewalks and Driveways:

- 1. Remove all vegetation and roots from ground surface.
- 2. Construct grade to final subgrade elevation.
  - a. Cut area: Remove all material that will be displaced by the sidewalk.
  - b. Fill area: Scarify the surface to be covered with embankment to a depth of at least 6 inches and compact. Construct embankment in lifts of 6 inches or less and compact each lift. Tamp surface with a mechanical tamper until firm and unyielding.
- 3. Remove all soft, spongy, or yielding spots and fill the void with suitable backfill material.

## 3.03 ADJUSTMENT OF FIXTURES

- A. Adjust fixtures to conform to the finished pavement surface. Cooperate and coordinate with the utility agency to ensure proper fixture adjustment.
- B. Comply with <u>Sections 5020</u>, <u>6010</u>, or <u>8010</u> as appropriate.

# 3.04 PCC SIDEWALKS, SHARED USE PATHS, AND DRIVEWAYS

Construct sidewalks and shared use paths to the line and running slope specified in the contract documents. Unless otherwise specified in the contract documents, the maximum cross slope is 2.0%, target cross slope is 1.5%, and minimum cross slope is 1.0%.

- **A.** Form Setting: Comply with <u>Section 7010</u> with the following additional requirements and exceptions.
  - 1. Slip form paving equipment may be allowed in lieu of setting forms, if approved by the Engineer.
  - 2. Wood forms are allowed.
  - 3. Use of an automated subgrade trimmer is not required.
  - 4. Set forms true to line and grade and hold them rigidly in place by stakes placed outside the forms and flush with or below the top edge of the forms.
  - 5. Measure or stake as required to construct project elements. If either of the following is met and construction survey is not a bid item, the Contracting Authority will verify that form work complies with the design requirements:
    - a. The tolerance between the design running slope and the maximum allowable running slope is less than 1.0%.
    - b. The tolerance between the design cross slope of the sidewalk, turning space, or shared use path and the maximum allowable cross slope is less than 0.5%.

If adequate tolerances are contained in the design, the Contracting Authority will not verify the form work for the construction of sidewalks or shared use paths. If field adjustments cause changes that will bring the facility into the range of tolerances shown above, notify the Engineer prior to construction.

# B. Concrete Pavement Placement:

1. Shared Use Paths: Comply with Section 7010.

### 2. Sidewalk:

- a. Maintain moist subgrade in front of paving operation
- b. Deposit concrete on the subgrade as required to minimize rehandling to prevent segregation.
- c. Hand spread with shovels, not rakes.
- d. Place concrete as required to slightly overfill the space between the forms.
- e. For thicknesses less than 5 inches, consolidate by knifing with hand tools. When thickness is 5 inches or greater, consolidate with hand or mechanical vibrators meeting <u>Section 7010, 3.01, C, 3</u>. Smooth by use of a straightedge.
- f. Do not contaminate freshly mixed concrete with earth or other foreign materials.
- **3.** Driveways: Comply with Figures 7030.101 and 7030.102 and Section 7010. The use of a paving machine is not required.

# C. Finishing:

### 1. Shared Use Paths and Driveways:

- a. Comply with Section 7010.
- b. Provide a burlap drag or broom finish.

# 3.04 PCC SIDEWALKS, SHARED USE PATHS, AND DRIVEWAYS (Continued)

## 2. Sidewalks:

- a. Use a wood float to depress the large aggregate and create a dense surface.
- b. Allow concrete to set until all shine has disappeared from the surface.
- c. Smooth with a metal trowel until surface is free from defects and blemishes.
- d. Construct joints by sawing or by using a jointer or groover tool.
- e. Finish edges of sidewalk or driveway with an edging tool having a radius of approximately 1/2 inch. Ensure tool marks do not appear on the finished surface.
- f. Brush with a soft broom at right angles to the side forms to provide a non-skid surface.
- D. Curing: Cure according to Section 7010.
- E. Form Removal: Comply with Section 7010.
- F. Jointing:

## 1. Construction Joints:

- a. Locate construction joints to provide uniform joint spacing.
- b. Place a construction joint at the close of each day's work or when depositing of concrete is stopped for 45 minutes or more.
- c. Form construction joint by using a header board. Set perpendicular to the surface and at right angles to the centerline.

## 2. Transverse Contraction Joints:

## a. Shared Use Paths:

- 1) Space transverse joints equal to the width of the shared use path, or as specified in the contract documents.
- 2) Saw contraction joints according to <u>Section 7010</u>.

# b. Sidewalks and Driveways:

- 1) Space sidewalk contraction joints equal to the width of the sidewalk.
- 2) Space driveway contraction joints so panel length does not exceed 12 feet.
- 3) Form transverse contraction joints to a depth of 1 1/4 inches with a pointed trowel or jointing tool. In lieu of forming, joints may be sawed within 12 hours of placement with a 1/8 inch blade saw to a depth of 1/3 the pavement thickness. Use a straightedge if joints are sawed with a hand-held saw.

### 3. Longitudinal Contraction Joints:

- **a.** Shared Use Paths and Sidewalks: Saw joint to 1/8 inch wide and to a depth of 1/3 the pavement thickness.
- b. Driveways:
  - 1) Space longitudinal contraction joints so panel width does not exceed 12 feet.
  - 2) Form longitudinal contraction joints to a depth of 1 1/4 inches with a pointed trowel or jointing tool. In lieu of forming, joints may be sawed with a 1/8 inch blade saw to a depth of 1/3 the pavement thickness. Use a straightedge if joints are sawed with a hand-held saw.

### 4. Isolation Joints:

- a. Install isolation joints where sidewalks, shared use paths, or driveways abut roadway pavement, parking lots, buildings, and structures.
- b. For a sidewalk constructed with a driveway, install an isolation joint on the property side of the sidewalk and a 'C' or 'E' joint on the street side of the sidewalk.
- c. Install a 1/2 inch or 3/4 inch thick strip of preformed resilient joint material, according to <u>Section 7010</u>, to the full depth of concrete. Trim any isolation joint material protruding above the finished work to the level of the abutting concrete.
- d. If the isolation joint is to be sealed, place the preformed material 1/2 inch below the level of the abutting concrete.

# 3.04 PCC SIDEWALKS, SHARED USE PATHS, AND DRIVEWAYS (Continued)

## 5. Joint Sealing:

- a. Do not seal construction or contraction joints in sidewalks, shared use paths, or driveways.
- b. If sealing of expansion or isolation joints is specified in the contract documents, trim preformed joint material to a depth of 1/2 inch below the concrete surface. Ensure the joint is clean and dry. Install joint sealant per manufacturer's recommendations.

## 3.05 HMA SHARED USE PATHS AND DRIVEWAYS

Construct sidewalks and shared use paths to the line and running slope specified in the contract documents. Unless otherwise specified in the contract documents, the maximum cross slope is 2.0%, target cross slope is 1.5%, and minimum cross slope is 1.0%. Comply with <u>Section 7020</u>.

## 3.06 BRICK/PAVER SIDEWALKS WITH A PAVEMENT BASE

### A. General:

- 1. Comply with Figure 7030.203.
- 2. Use a cross-section and patterns as specified in the contract documents or approved by the Engineer.
- 3. Do not use broken bricks or materials with stained faces in the paving areas.
- 4. Construct the concrete base to comply with PCC sidewalk construction specifications.

# B. Setting Bed:

- 1. Place 3/4 inch depth control bars on the base to serve as guides for the striking board. Shim depth control bars as necessary to adjust bedding thickness and to ensure the top surface of pavers will be at the required finished grade.
- 2. Place bedding material between the parallel depth control bars. Pull striking board over bars several times. After each pass, spread fresh bedding material over low or porous spots to produce a smooth and even setting bed. After placing and smoothing each section, advance depth control bars to next section. After removal of depth control bars and shims, carefully fill any depressions that remain.
- 3. While still hot, roll the HMA setting bed with a power roller to a nominal depth of 3/4 inch.
- 4. Ensure the joints in the concrete base do not project through the HMA setting bed.
- 5. Apply neoprene modified asphalt adhesive over the top surface of the cooled asphalt setting bed with notched trowel with serration not exceeding 1/16 inch. Allow adhesive to dry to the touch before placing pavers.

### C. Weep Holes:

- 1. Install 2 inch diameter, 12 inch long, PVC pipe even with the top of the asphalt setting bed at the locations identified on the plans.
- 2. Fill pipe with 3/4 inch clean rock and cover weep hole with engineering fabric.
- 3. Install minimum of 12 inch deep and 12 inch wide reservoir of clean 3/4 inch rock around the pipe below the PCC sidewalk base or extend the rock reservoir to the pavement subdrain.

## 3.06 BRICK/PAVER SIDEWALKS WITH A PAVEMENT BASE (Continued)

### D. Bricks/Pavers:

- 1. Place the bricks/pavers by hand in straight courses with hand tight joints and uniform top surface.
- 2. Sweep dry joint filler into joints until the joints are completely filled.
- 3. Fog surface lightly with water to cure cement.
- 4. Clean any cement stains from bricks/pavers surface. Remove stains from other concrete surfaces.
- E. Protection: Protect newly laid bricks/pavers at all times using panels of plywood. Panels can be advanced as work progresses; however, keep the plywood protection in areas that will be subjected to movement of materials, workers, and equipment. Take precautions in order to avoid depressions and protect brick/paver alignment until cured and ready for pedestrian or vehicle traffic.

## 3.07 DETECTABLE WARNING INSTALLATION

Set detectable warning panels in fresh concrete according to the manufacturer's recommendations and <u>Figure 7030.210</u>.

### 3.08 SLOPE AND SMOOTHNESS TESTING

### A. Slope for Sidewalks, Curb Ramps, Turning Spaces, and Shared Use Paths:

- 1. Complete slope measurements and documentation according to <u>lowa DOT Materials I.M.</u> <u>363</u>.
- At no additional cost to the Contracting Authority, remove and replace all sections not meeting PROWAG requirements as detailed in <u>SUDAS Design Manual Section 12A-2</u>.

### B. Smoothness for Shared Use Paths and Driveways:

- 1. Check finished surface with a 10 foot straightedge placed parallel to the centerline. Mark areas showing high spots of more than 1/4 of an inch in 10 feet.
- 2. If directed by the Engineer, correct marked areas by grinding down with an approved grinding tool to an elevation where the area will not show deviations in excess of 1/8 inch.

### 3.09 GRANULAR DRIVEWAY SURFACING

Comply with Iowa DOT Section 2315.

### 3.10 CLEANING

- A. Remove all litter and construction materials or tools immediately after the end of the curing period.
- B. Remove excess dirt from the site.
- C. Broom clean completed sidewalks, shared use paths, and driveways.

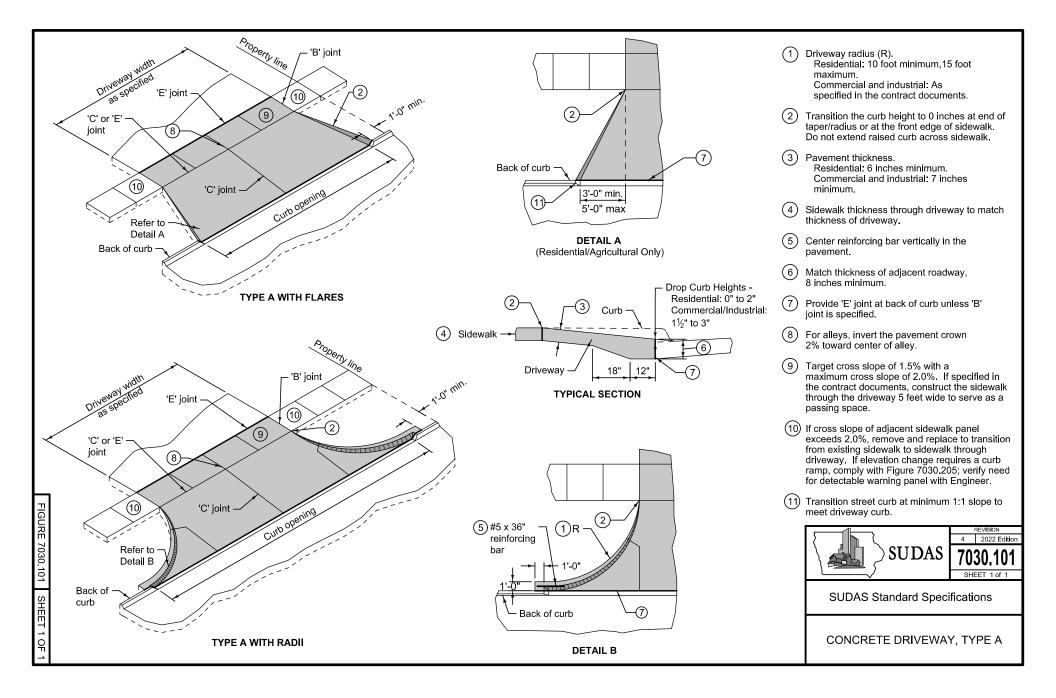
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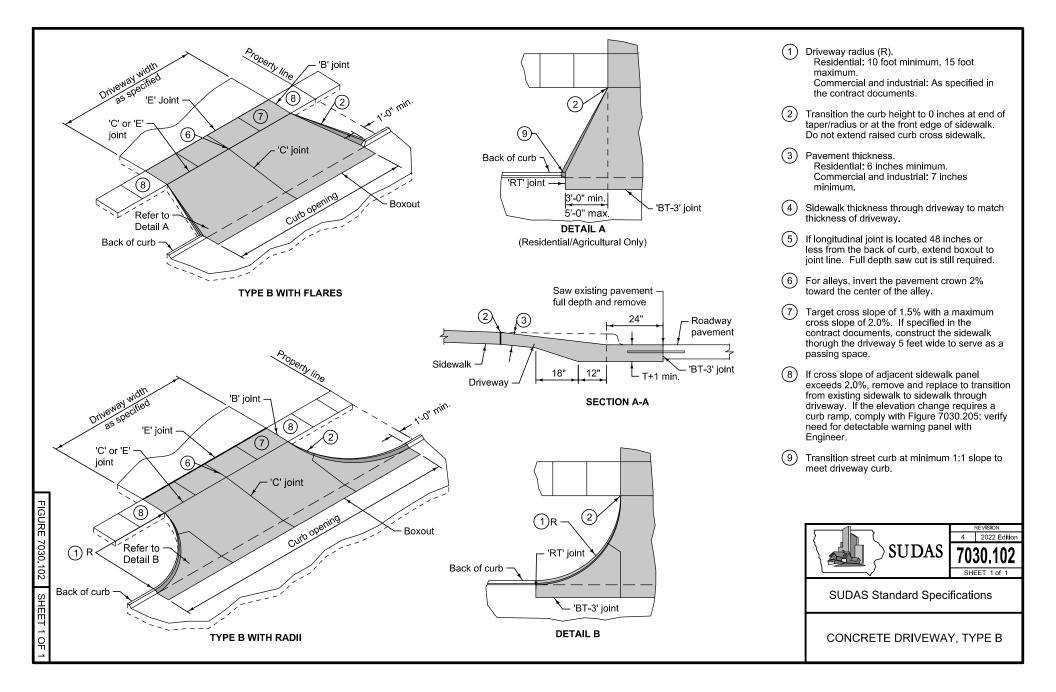
- **A. General:** When testing is specified in the contract documents as the Contractor's responsibility, provide testing using the services of an independent testing laboratory approved by the Engineer.
- **B.** Concrete Compression Tests: When the concrete volume placed on a single day exceeds 20 cubic yards, comply with the following test requirements. When deficiencies are encountered, comply with <u>Section 7010, 3.07, E</u>.
  - 1. Prepare at least two test cylinders per day.
  - 2. If the concrete volume placed on a single day exceeds 200 cubic yards, prepare two test cylinders for each 200 cubic yards placed.
  - 3. Provide 7 and 28 calendar day tests according to ASTM C 39. Minimum compressive strength is 2,000 psi at 7 days and 4,000 psi at 28 days.
- **C. HMA Density and Thickness Tests:** When the area of HMA placed on a single day exceeds 100 square yards, comply with the following test requirement. When deficiencies are encountered, comply with <u>Section 7020, 3.04, A</u>.
  - 1. Prepare at least two cores per day.
  - 2. If the area of HMA placed on a single day exceeds 2,000 square yards, prepare two cores for each 2,000 square yards placed.

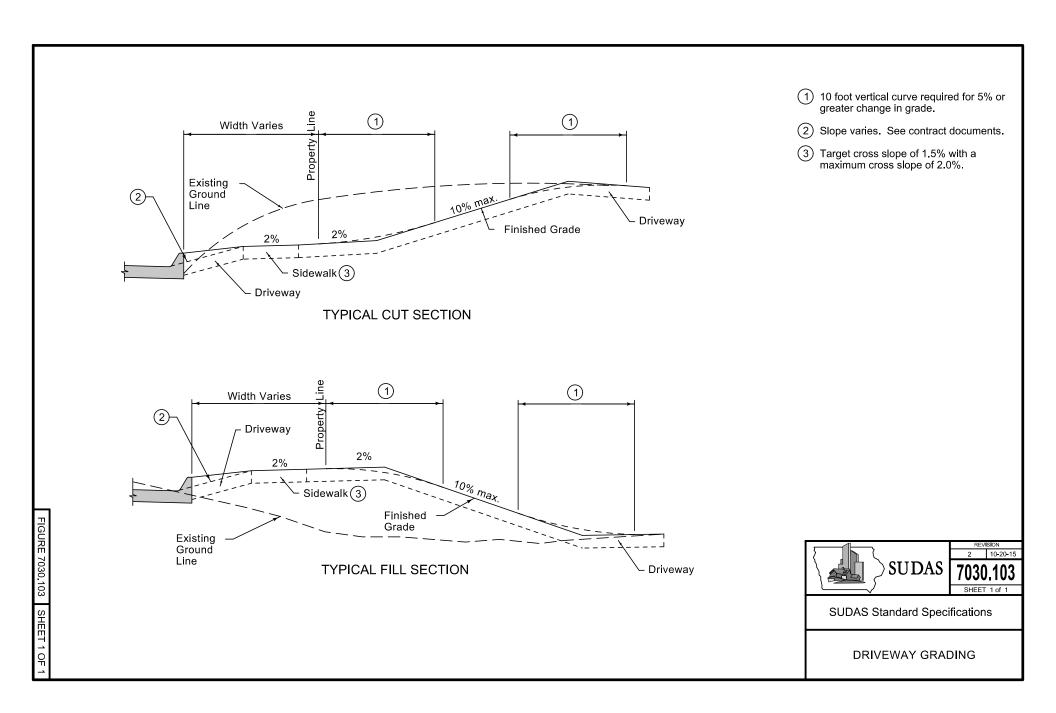
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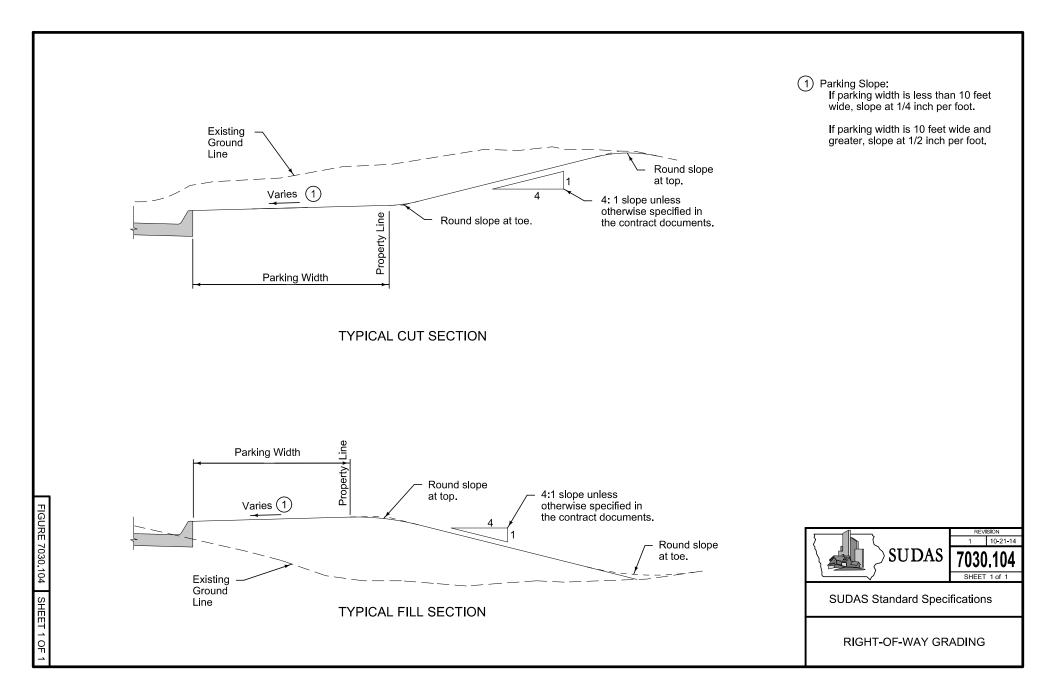
Compliance with cross slopes and grades, as well as all other elements, for sidewalks and curb ramps is crucial. If the construction cannot be completed as specified in the contract documents, it may be necessary to adjust slopes within the accepted legal limitations. Contact the Engineer prior to placement of the concrete if changes from the values specified in the contract documents are being made.

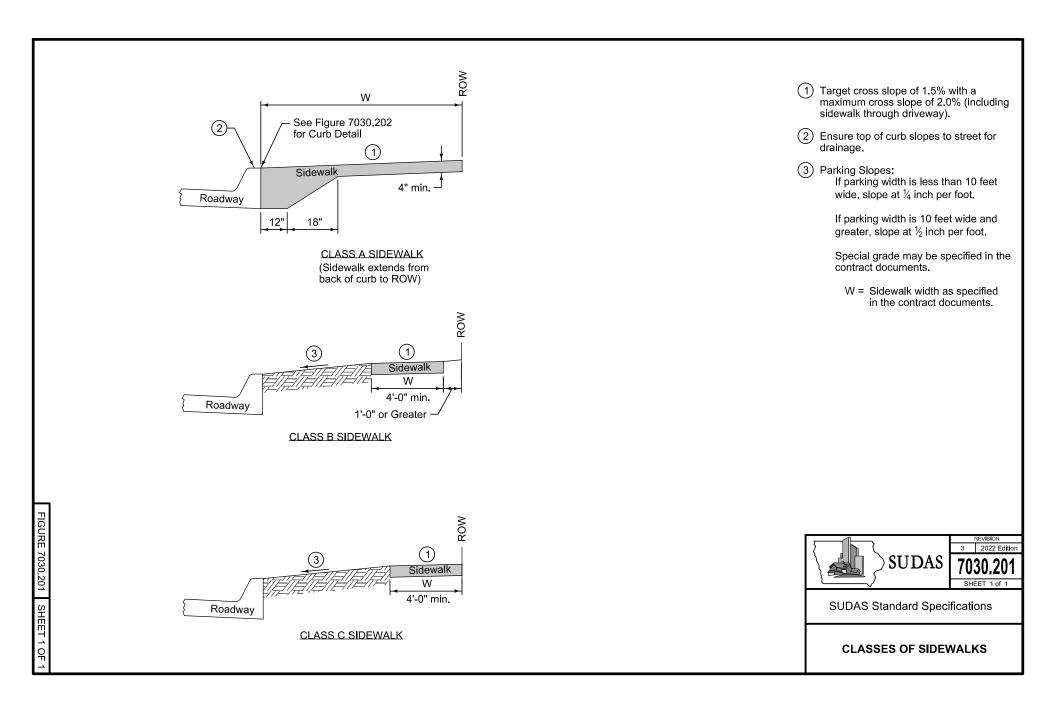
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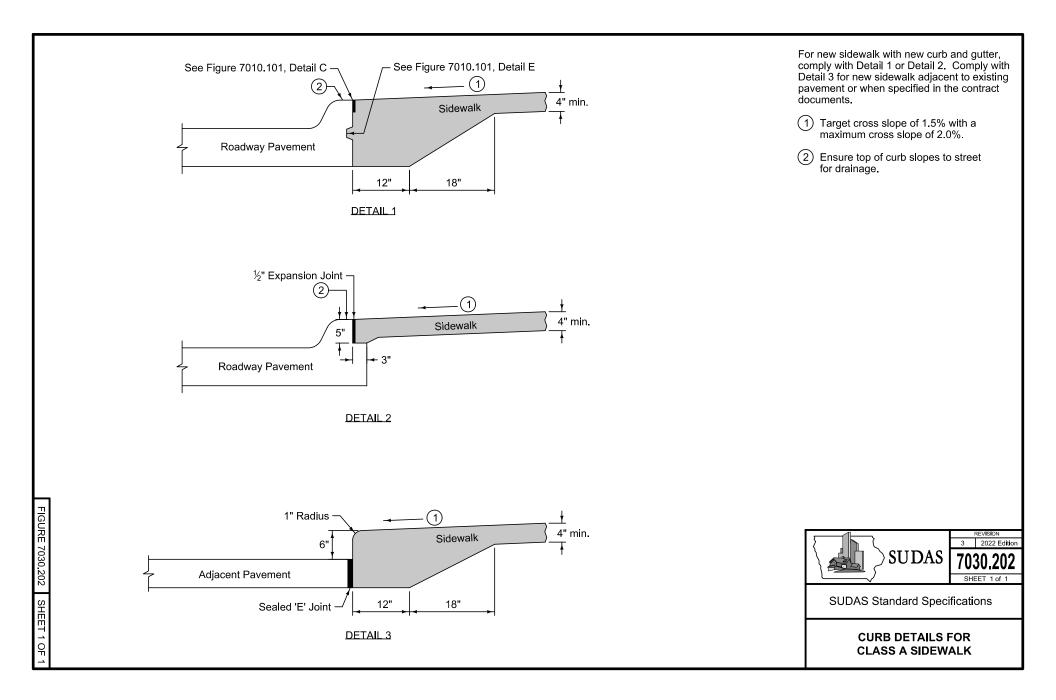


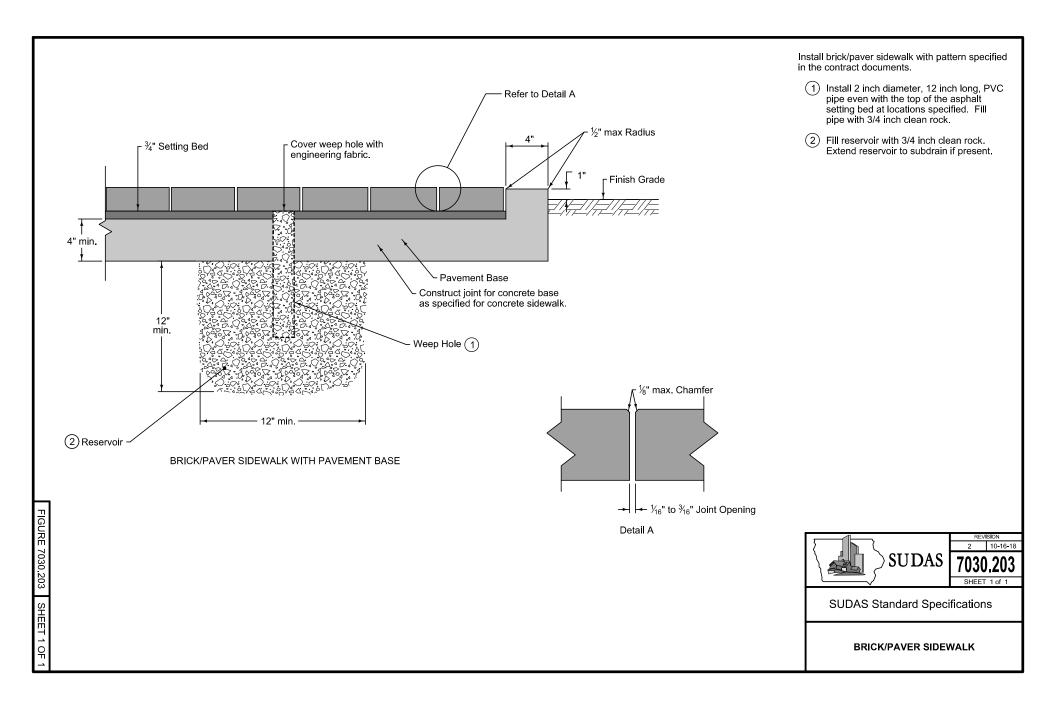


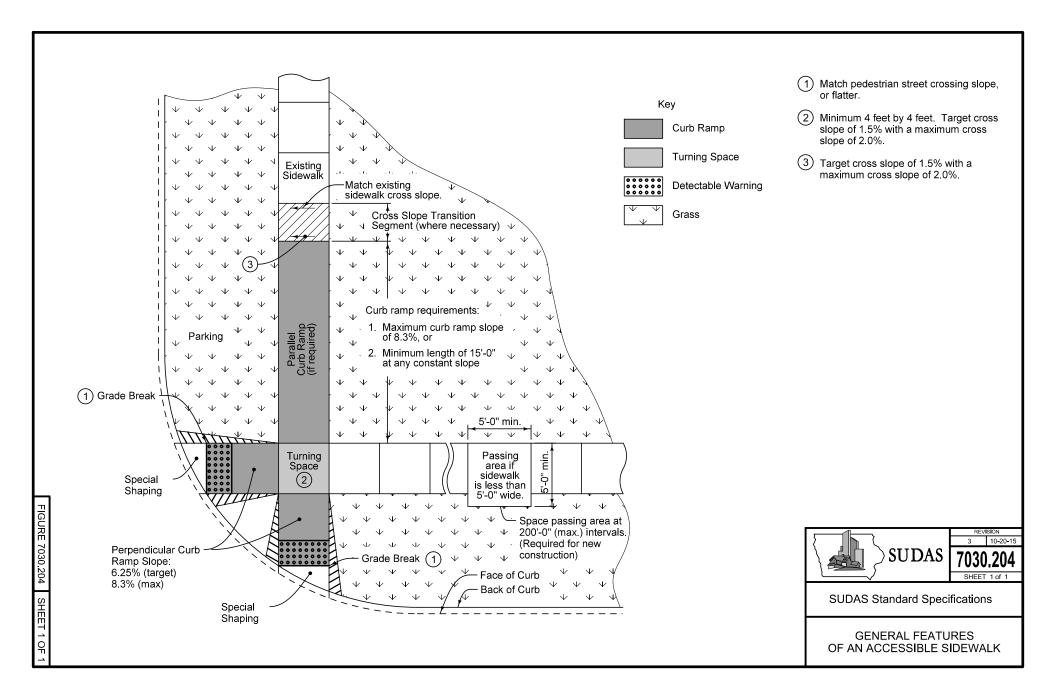


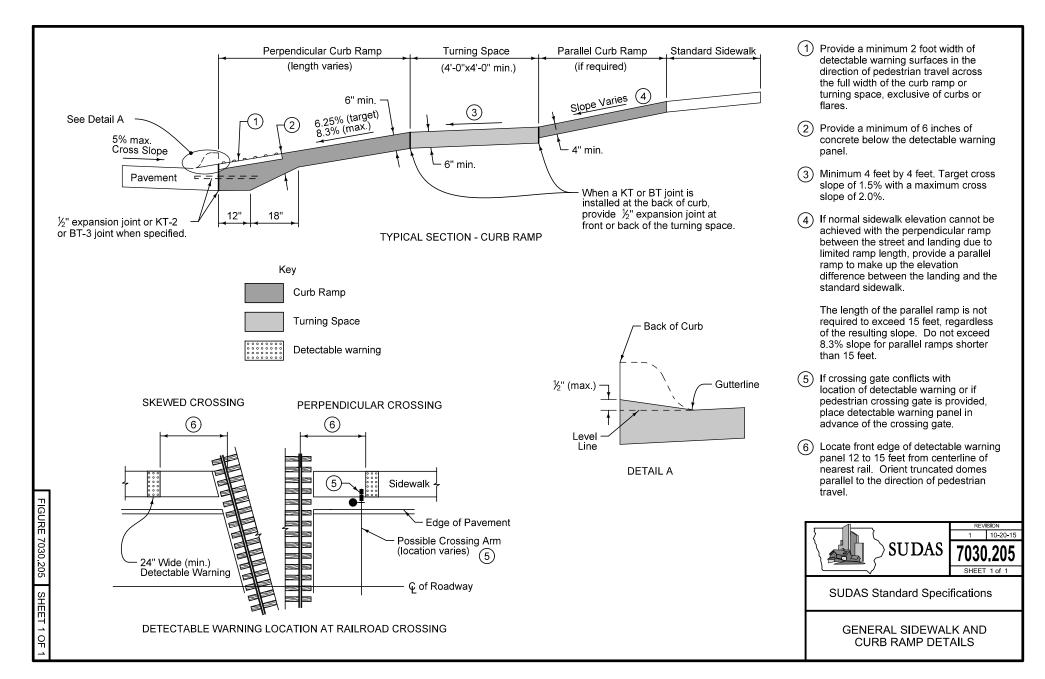


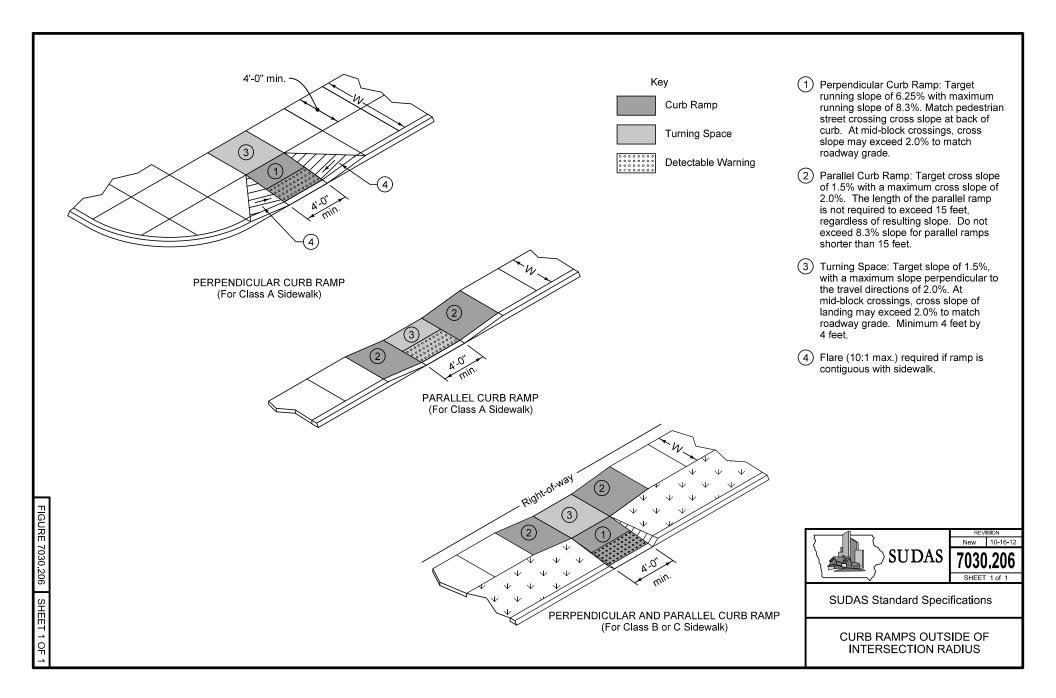


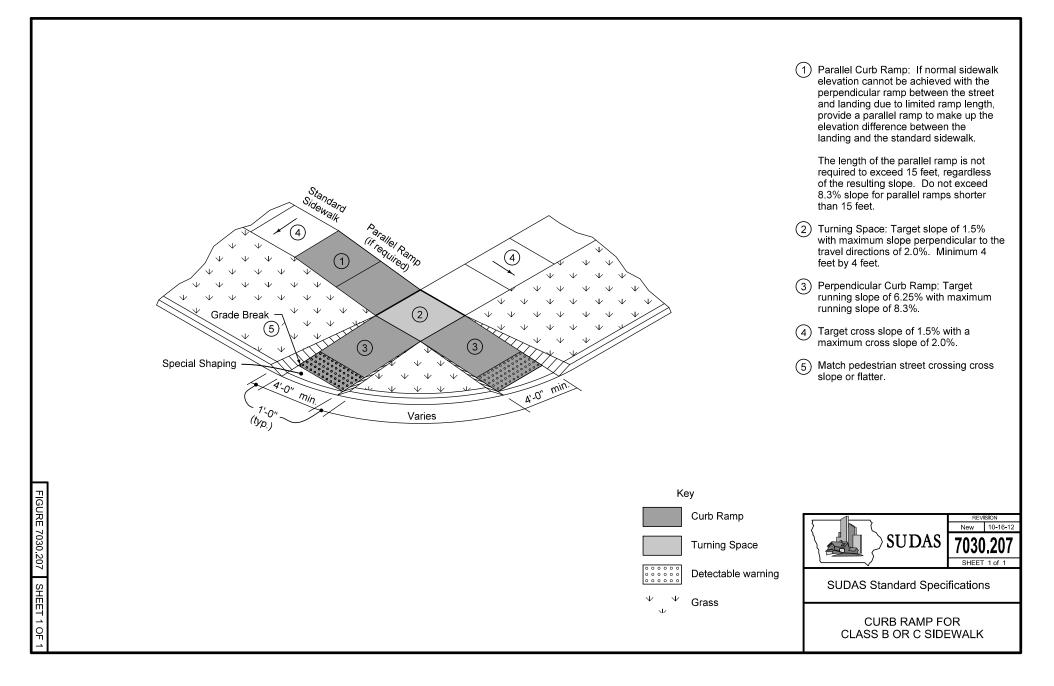


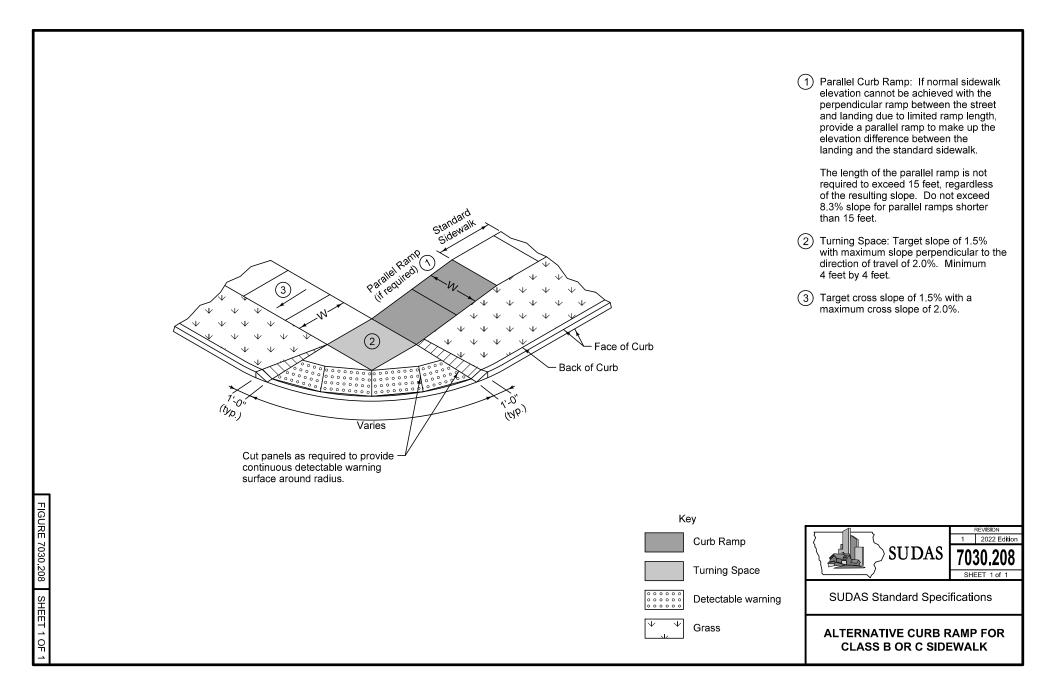


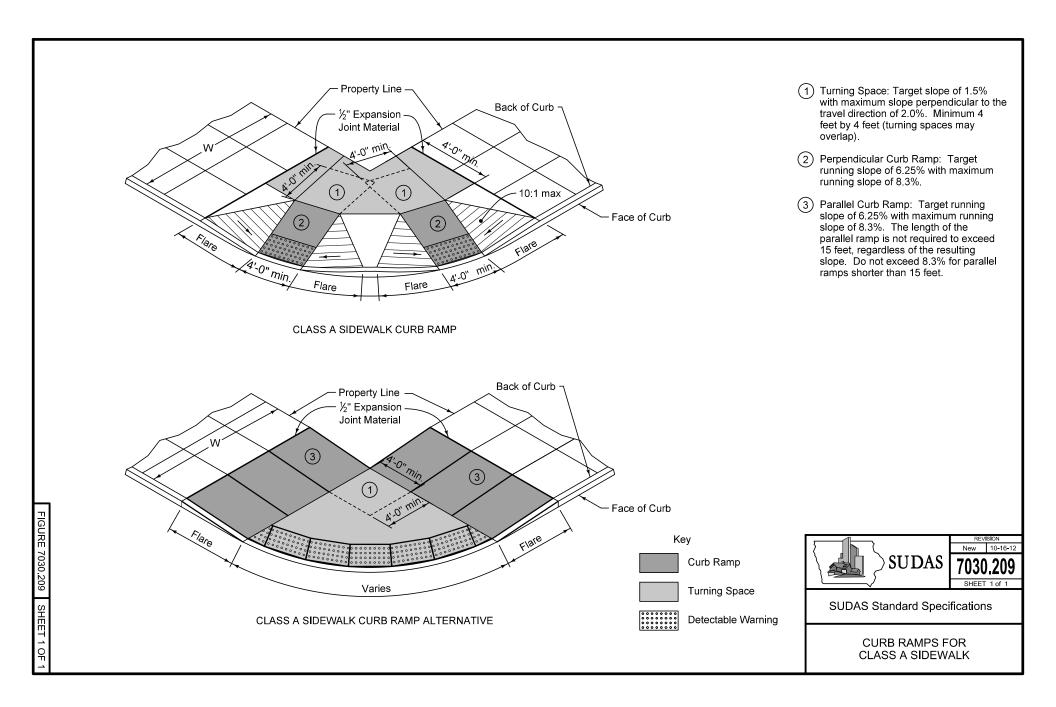


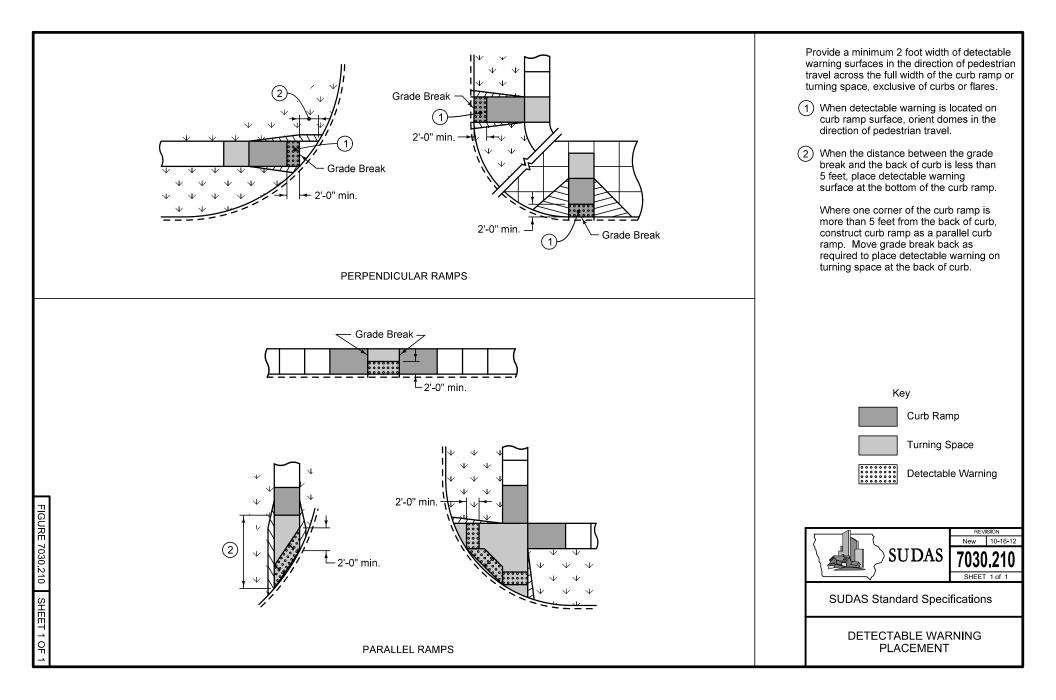












# PAVEMENT REHABILITATION

## PART 1 - GENERAL

## 1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Full and Partial Depth PCC Patches
- B. Full and Partial Depth HMA Patches
- C. Full Depth Composite Patches
- D. Diamond Grinding
- E. Milling
- F. Cleaning and Filling Joints and Cracks
- G. Curb and Gutter Replacement
- H. Dowel Bar Retrofit
- I. Core Hole Cutting and Replacement

### 1.02 DESCRIPTION OF WORK

- A. Construct full depth PCC, HMA, and composite patches.
- B. Construct partial depth PCC and HMA patches.
- C. Grind existing PCC pavement surface for profile improvement using a diamond grinder.
- D. Mill the surface of HMA or PCC pavement to improve the surface profile and cross-section in preparation for resurfacing.
- E. Clean and fill longitudinal and transverse joints and random cracks in PCC and HMA pavement.
- F. Remove existing pavement and curb and gutter.
- G. Install epoxy coated dowel bars on transverse joints and cracks.
- H. Cutting and replacement of pavement cores.

# 1.03 SUBMITTALS

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants, as well as the following:

- A. PCC mix design.
- B. HMA mix design.

## 1.04 SUBSTITUTIONS

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants.

# 1.05 DELIVERY, STORAGE, HANDLING, AND SALVAGING

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants, as well as the following:

- A. PCC: See Section 7010.
- B. HMA: See Section 7020

## 1.06 SCHEDULING AND CONFLICTS

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants.

### 1.07 SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS

None.

## 1.08 MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT

### A. Full Depth Patches:

- **1. Measurement:** Measurement will be in square yards for each type of full depth patch. Patches less than 2 square yards in area will be considered 2 square yards.
- **2. Payment:** Payment will be made at the unit price per square yard for each type of full depth patch.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, sawing, removing, and disposing of existing pavement and reinforcing; restoring the subgrade; furnishing and installing tie bars and dowel bars; furnishing and placing the patch material, including the asphalt binder and tack coat; forming and constructing integral curb; surface curing and pavement protection; joint sawing and filling; and placing backfill and restoring disturbed surfaces.

### B. Subbase Over-excavation:

- **1. Measurement:** Measurement will be in tons of subbase material placed for authorized over-excavation.
- 2. Payment: Payment will be made at the unit price per ton of subbase material.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, removal of existing subbase or subgrade, disposal of materials removed, furnishing and placing subbase material, and any additional excavation required for subbase placement.

### C. Partial Depth Patches:

- **1. Measurement:** Measurement will be in square feet for each type of partial depth patch. Patches less than 1 square foot in area will be considered 1 square foot.
- 2. **Payment:** Payment will be made at the unit price per square foot for each type of partial depth patch.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, sawing, removing, and disposing of existing pavement; furnishing tack coat or bonding agent; furnishing and placing the patch material; curing; joint filling (PCC patches only); placing backfill; and restoring disturbed surfaces.

# 1.08 MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT (Continued)

4. Extra Payment: When partial depth patches are constructed to full depth at the direction of the Engineer, payment will be at 2 times the unit price per square foot for each type of partial depth patch.

## D. Crack and Joint Cleaning and Filling, Hot Pour:

- 1. **Measurement:** Measurement will be in linear feet measured along the cracks or joints.
- 2. **Payment:** Payment will be made at the unit price per linear foot of crack and joint cleaning and filling.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, furnishing crack and joint filler material and routing, sawing, cleaning, and filling joints or cracks.

# E. Crack Cleaning and Filling, Emulsion:

- 1. Crack Cleaning and Filling, Emulsion:
  - **a. Measurement:** Measurement will be in linear feet measured along the cracks. Map cracked areas will not be measured.
  - **b. Payment:** Payment will be made at the unit price per linear foot of crack cleaning and filling.
  - **c. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, furnishing emulsified crack filler material, cleaning cracks, placing soil sterilant, and filling cracks.

### 2. Hot Mix Asphalt for Crack Filling:

- a. Measurement: Measurement will be in tons of HMA used for filling cracks greater than 1 inch. Quantity will be based upon scale tickets. Mixture not used in the work will be deducted based upon scaled weights.
- **b. Payment:** Payment will be made at the unit price per ton for HMA used in filling cracks over 1 inch.
- **c. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, cleaning, applying tack coat, and furnishing and placing HMA for crack filling.

### F. Diamond Grinding:

- **1. Measurement:** Measurement will be in square yards for the area of diamond grinding.
- 2. Payment: Payment will be made at the unit price per square yard of diamond grinding.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, diamond grinding pavement, testing for smoothness according to the contract documents, and removal of slurry and residue from the project site.

### G. Milling:

- 1. Measurement: Measurement will be in square yards for the area of milling.
- 2. Payment: Payment will be made at the unit price per square yard of milling.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, milling pavement; furnishing water; and salvaging, stockpiling, and removing cuttings and debris.

# 1.08 MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT (Continued)

## H. Pavement Removal:

- 1. **Measurement:** Measurement will be in square yards. No deduction in area will be made for manholes, storm sewer intakes, valve boxes, or other structures less than 2 square yards in area. Pavement removal for patching is included as part of the patching item and will not be measured separately.
- 2. Payment: Payment will be made at the unit price per square yard.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, sawing, breaking, removing, and disposing of existing pavement and reinforcing steel.

# I. Curb and Gutter Removal:

- 1. **Measurement:** Measurement will be in linear feet measured along the back of curb.
- 2. **Payment:** Payment will be made at the unit price per linear foot of curb and gutter removed.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, sawing, breaking, removing, and disposing of existing curb and gutter.

## J. Dowel Bar Retrofit:

- 1. **Measurement:** Measurement will be by count of the number of dowel bars satisfactorily placed.
- 2. Payment: Payment will be made at the contract unit price per bar.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, cutting the slots, preparing the slots, placing and grouting the bars, and curing the surface.

### K. Core Hole Cutting and Replacement:

- 1. **Measurement:** Measurement will be by count of the number of core holes replaced.
- 2. Payment: Payment will be made at the contract unit price per core hole replaced.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes but is not limited to, cutting the core hole, vacuum excavation, furnishing and placing backfill material and pavement, or replacing the pavement core using waterproof bonding material, if specified.
- L. Sampling and Testing: Required sampling and testing for pavement repair and rehabilitation work is incidental to other project costs and will not be paid for separately.

# PART 2 - PRODUCTS

# 2.01 MATERIALS

- A. PCC:
  - 1. Standard Patching: Use Class C mix complying with <u>Section 7010</u>. Comply with <u>Iowa</u> <u>DOT Materials I.M. 401</u>. Construct all patches as standard patches unless otherwise specified in the contract documents.
  - 2. High Early Strength Patching: Use Class M mix complying with <u>Section 7010</u>. Do not use calcium chloride unless otherwise specified in the contract documents.
  - **3.** Partial Depth Patching: Use a coarse aggregate in concrete mix complying with <u>lowa</u> <u>DOT Article 4109.02</u>, <u>Gradation No. 5 in the Aggregate Gradation Table</u>.
- **B. HMA:** Provide a minimum Low Traffic (LT) mixture complying with <u>Section 7020</u>, unless otherwise specified in the contract documents. Provide mixture with an asphalt binder meeting or exceeding PG 58-28S.
- C. Crack and Joint Filler Material:
  - 1. Hot Pour Crack and Joint Filler: Comply with lowa DOT Section 4136.
  - 2. Emulsified Asphalt Crack Filler: Provide CRS-2 or CRS-2P emulsions complying with lowa DOT Section 4140.

# 3. HMA for Filling Cracks:

- a. Provide a 3/4 inch, 1/2 inch, or 3/8 inch HMA mixture complying with <u>Section 7020</u>, or a similar mixture from a commercial source subject to approval from the Engineer.
- b. Upon approval of the Engineer, a high performance bituminous cold premix may be used, depending on the availability of the specified hot mix asphalt.
- **4. Blotting Material:** Provide sand complying with <u>lowa DOT Sections 4124</u> or <u>4125</u>, or similar sand approved by the Engineer.
- 5. Soil Sterilant: Provide soil sterilant as specified in the contract documents.
- D. Primer or Tack Coat Bitumen: Comply with lowa DOT Article 2303.02.
- E. Epoxy for Bonding Dowel and Tie Bars: Comply with <u>lowa DOT Materials I.M. 491.11</u>.
- F. Tie Bars and Dowel Bars: Provide epoxy coated bars complying with <u>lowa DOT Section</u> <u>4151</u>.
- **G.** Subbase Material: Unless otherwise specified in the contract documents, use modified subbase complying with <u>Section 2010</u>.
- H. Liquid Curing Compound: Comply with lowa DOT Section 4105.
- I. Sand-cement Grout: Provide a sand-cement grout mixture with a ratio of one part water to one part sand and two parts cement.
- J. Preformed Compression Relief Material: Provide 1/4 inch polystyrene, 1/4 inch polyethylene, 1/4 inch Styrofoam, or 3/16 inch waxed coated cardboard.

# 2.01 MATERIALS (Continued)

- K. Epoxy Coated Dowel Bars: Comply with <u>Figure 7010.101</u> and <u>Iowa DOT Section 4151</u> for the length and diameter specified. Uniformly coat dowel bars with approved bond breaker according to <u>Iowa DOT Article 4151.02</u>, <u>B</u>. Include tight fitting nonmetallic end caps that allow a minimum of 1/4 inch movement at each end.
- L. Dowel Chairs: Prevent movement of the dowel bar during grout placement with epoxy coated or nonmetallic dowel chair devices which provide a minimum clearance of 1/2 inch between the bottom of the bar and the surface upon which the bar is placed and also between the bar and the end walls of the slot.
- **M. Caulking Filler:** Any commercial caulk designed as a concrete sealant that is compatible with the grout material being used.
- **N.** Foam Core Inserts: Provide 3/8 inch  $\pm 1/8$  inch thick closed cell foam core board filler faced with film, foil, or poster board material on both sides.

## O. Rapid Set Patch Material:

- 1. Provide a shrinkage compensated rapid set patch material meeting <u>lowa DOT Materials</u> <u>I.M. 491.20</u> and the following strength requirements:
  - 3 hour minimum compressive strength of 3,000 psi according to ASTM C 39.
  - 24 hour minimum compressive strength of 5,000 psi according to ASTM C 39.
- 2. Use grout material from packaged bags or proportioned on site from bulk cementitious materials.
  - a. Extend packaged bags with pea gravel, proportioned and mixed according to the manufacturer's recommendations. Fine aggregate additions and water in excess of the manufacturer's recommendations are not allowed.
  - b. Use bulk cementitious materials equivalent in composition to the cementitious materials used in packaged bags and proportioned with fine aggregate and water and extended with pea gravel to produce a mixture equivalent to the packaged bag mix meeting the manufacturer's recommendations. Water in excess of the manufacturer's recommendations is not allowed.
    - c. Supply fine aggregates meeting lowa DOT Section 4110.
- 3. Provide pea gravel with a minimum Class 2 durability meeting the requirements of <u>lowa</u> <u>DOT Article 4112.03, B</u> and <u>Article 4109.02</u>, <u>Gradation No. 9 in the Aggregate Gradation</u> <u>Table</u>.
- 4. Use water meeting the requirements of <u>lowa DOT Section 4102</u>. Potable water obtained from a municipal supply, suitable for drinking, may be accepted without testing.

### P. Backfill Material:

- 1. CLSM or foamed cellular concrete, per <u>Section 3010, 2.06</u>, if required by the Jurisdiction.
- 2. Class I granular material meeting <u>Section 3010, 2.02, A</u> or pea gravel complying with <u>lowa DOT Article 4109.02</u>, <u>Gradation No. 21</u>.
- **Q. Waterproof Bonding Material:** Meet ASTM C 928 with a minimum bond strength of 1,500 psi at one day and 2,000 psi at 7 days. Carry an AASHTO H-25 truck load within 1 hour when temperature is 50° F.

# **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

## 3.01 GENERAL

- A. Conduct all operations to minimize inconvenience to traffic. Confine operations to one traffic lane, unless the road is to be closed to traffic. Minor encroachment into the adjacent lane, such as for sawing and installing forms, will be acceptable with the use of a flagger according to MUTCD.
- B. Do not remove pavement for either full depth or partial depth patching unless the patch can be completed before the end of the working day.
- C. Construct full depth and partial depth patches to the dimensions specified in the contract documents or as marked by the Engineer in the field. Construct all full depth patches to full panel width.
- D. Make saw cuts parallel or perpendicular to the centerline.
- E. Remove and dispose of materials not designated for salvage.
- F. Restore the area outside the pavement by placing and compacting backfill material, placing topsoil, and sodding or seeding as specified in the contract documents.
- G. For pavement patches in areas removed to determine utility locations, replace pavement according to Figures 7040.101, 7040.102, 7040.103, and 7040.107 as directed by the Jurisdiction.

### 3.02 FULL DEPTH PATCHING

### A. Pavement Removal:

- 1. Saw pavement to full depth at the edges of the patch. A second saw cut, 2 inches inside the initial saw cut, may be required to prevent damage to adjacent pavement.
- 2. Do not damage pavement that is to remain. Do not use heavy equipment adjacent to new concrete until the opening strength is achieved.

### B. Restoring Subgrade or Subbase:

- Excavate 2 inches below the bottom of the existing pavement. If more than 2 inches is excavated, place and compact new subbase material as required to bring the subbase to a level 2 inches below the bottom of the existing pavement. Correct unauthorized overexcavation at no additional cost to the Contracting Authority.
- 2. Compact the exposed subgrade or subbase by a minimum of four complete passes with a plate-type vibratory compactor with a minimum force rating of 3,500 pounds.
- 3. When unstable material or excessive moisture is encountered, the Engineer may order removal and replacement of the unstable material.
  - a. Remove existing unstable subgrade or subbase, or both, to the depth directed by the Engineer.
  - b. Place and compact new subbase material as required to bring the subbase to a level 2 inches below the bottom of the existing pavement.

### C. Placing PCC Patches:

1. Equipment: Comply with <u>lowa DOT Article 2301.03, A</u>, specifications on equipment for standard concrete pavement.

# 3.02 FULL DEPTH PATCHING (Continued)

- 2. Tie Bars and Dowel Bars: Comply with <u>Section 7010</u> and the figures in <u>Sections 7010</u> and <u>7040</u>.
  - a. When there is a common line between two adjacent patches, a bent bar may be placed in a keyway and later straightened.
  - b. Coat dowel bars extending into the patch area with a bond breaker. Do not coat tie bars.
- 3. Forms: Comply with Section 7010, 3.02, D, as well as the following.
  - a. Use forms on all exposed edges and along the centerline for patches that extend into an adjacent lane, unless full pavement width patches are constructed.
  - b. Rigid wood forms may be used in lieu of steel.

## 4. Placing, Consolidation, and Finishing the Concrete:

- a. Moisten the subbase or subgrade.
- b. Except for preplanned joints, place the patch continuously until the patch is completed.
- c. When a delay of 45 minutes cannot be avoided, construct a day's work ('DW') joint.
- d. Carefully place concrete into the patch area to avoid segregation; spread into place and consolidate with a mechanical vibrator. Place full lane width patches over 25 feet in length with a suitable finishing machine that has at least one vibrating screed. Avoid excessive vibrating.
- e. Finish patches per Section 7010, 3.02, H.
- f. For joints with tie bars, tool the edge. For joints with dowel bars, saw to a depth of approximately 1 1/8 inch, leaving an opening of at least 3/8 inch in width to provide a reservoir for joint filler.
- g. Texture the patch to match the adjacent surface.
- 5. Curing: Comply with <u>Section 7010, 3.02, I</u>. Cure the concrete, including exposed vertical edges, immediately after the concrete has been finished and the surface water has evaporated.
- 6. Joints: Construct and fill joints according to <u>Section 7010, 3.02</u>. Place joints at locations specified in the contract documents.
- 7. Pavement Protection: Comply with <u>Section 7010, 3.04</u>.
- **8.** Use of Pavement: Comply with opening strength requirements of <u>Section 7010, 3.05</u>. Maturity testing is not required.

# D. Placing HMA Patches:

- 1. Use equipment complying with <u>lowa DOT Article 2303.03</u>. Use of a paving machine is not required.
- 2. Apply tack coat to the vertical edges of the remaining pavement at a rate of 0.10 to 0.15 gallons per square yard.
- 3. Place HMA patch mixture in lifts that will not exceed 3 inches in thickness after compaction, with the top lift not exceeding 2 inches in thickness when compacted.
- 4. Compact each lift while hot by rolling or compacting with a vibratory compactor. Subsequent lifts may be placed as soon as the preceding lift has been properly compacted.

# 3.02 FULL DEPTH PATCHING (Continued)

- 5. Smooth the final lift with a steel-tired finish roller. Ensure the final compacted surface is level with, or no more than 1/8 inch above, the adjacent pavement and has a smooth riding surface. If the patch becomes distorted for any reason, smooth the surface by blading, scraping, grinding, filling, or other approved means.
- 6. Do not extend patch material beyond the edge of the existing pavement; remove patch material that extends outside the patch limits.
- 7. Do not open to traffic until the mixture has cooled sufficiently to provide stability.

# 3.03 PARTIAL DEPTH PATCHING

## A. Pavement Removal:

- 1. Ensure all patches are square or rectangular in shape.
- 2. For removal by the saw and chip method, cut at the designated removal limits to a minimum depth of 2 inches and a maximum depth of T/2 or the top of the dowels in PCC pavement. For PCC patches, taper the sides of the removal area 30 to 60 degrees from vertical using a pneumatic hammer to eliminate the polished face.
- 3. Using a 15 pound maximum size pneumatic hammer, remove the deteriorated pavement down to sound pavement. A 30 pound pneumatic hammer may be used if it does not result in damage to the patch area and edges.
- 4. In lieu of sawing and removal with a pneumatic hammer, the designated patch area may be milled to the prescribed depth. Milling equipment must provide tapered edges 30 to 60 degrees from vertical for PCC patches. Chip out secondary spalling resulting from milling at no additional cost to the Contracting Authority.
- 5. Remove pavement to the appropriate depth. Do not damage steel reinforcement during the removal process on PCC pavements. Damaged steel will be the responsibility of the contractor. If the end of a dowel bar is exposed, cut and remove the bar. Place duct tape, form oil, grease or use other method approved by the Engineer as a bond breaker on dowels not removed. If the required depth to sound pavement exceeds the maximum T/2 removal depth, construct a full depth patch.

# B. PCC Patch Placement:

- 1. Clean removal area by sandblasting or water blasting, followed by airblasting, until the area is clean and dry. Ensure the compressed air used for cleaning is oil and moisture free. Place concrete the same day as cleaning.
- 2. Install preformed compression relief material in joints or cracks or tool the joint in the plastic concrete. Use material equal in width to the adjacent joint or crack at the patch boundary. For wide openings, use multiple thicknesses. Compression relief material is to extend at a minimum of 1/4 inch below the bottom of the patch so as to completely separate all patching material on both sides and 3 inches beyond the patch boundaries. If tooling of the joint is specified, complete a relief saw cut to the full depth of the patch plus 1/4 inch as soon as the concrete has reached proper set.
- 3. Thoroughly coat the bottom and sides of the patch area with a cement grout immediately prior to placement of concrete. Do not allow grout to set prior to placement of concrete. Remove grout set by sandblasting and reapply.

# 3.03 PARTIAL DEPTH PATCHING (Continued)

- 4. Deposit concrete in the patch; finish patch from the center outward. Ensure concrete does not infiltrate into existing cracks or joints.
- 5. Apply joint filler material to expansion joints. At the interface between the patch and the slab, apply sand-cement grout to fill and seal the edge. Position the grout so 1 inch is over the surrounding pavement and 3 inches are over the patch.
- 6. Texture the patch similar to the adjacent surface.
- 7. Cure patch according to <u>Section 7040, 3.02</u>.
- 8. Fill joints according to <u>Section 7040, 3.06</u>. Complete filling within 5 calendar days after patch is placed.

## C. HMA Patch Placement:

- 1. Clean removal area by airblasting until the area is clean and dry. Ensure the compressed air used for cleaning is moisture free.
- 2. Cover the entire removal area with tack coat at a rate of 0.10 to 0.15 gallons per square yard.
- 3. Place HMA patch mixture in lifts that will not exceed 3 inches in thickness after compaction, with the top lift not exceeding 2 inches in thickness when compacted.
- 4. Compact each lift while hot by rolling with an adequately weighted pneumatic tire roller or by tamping with a mechanical tamper. Succeeding lifts may be placed as soon as the preceding lift has been properly compacted.
- 5. Smooth the final lift with a steel-tired finish roller. Ensure the final compacted surface is level with, or no more than 1/8 inch above, the adjacent pavement and has a smooth riding surface. If the patch becomes distorted for any reason, smooth the surface by blading, scraping, grinding, filling, or other approved means.
- 6. Do not open to traffic until the mixture has cooled sufficiently to provide stability.

### 3.04 DIAMOND GRINDING

- A. Use equipment complying with <u>lowa DOT Article 2532.03, A</u>.
- B. Grind and texture the entire surface of the pavement parallel to the centerline until the pavement surface on both sides of transverse joints and all cracks are in the same plane with no greater than 1/16 inch difference between adjacent sides of joints and cracks and the pavement surface meets the required smoothness. Feather grind into existing structures such as manholes and water valves in a manner that eliminates abrupt edges or drops and provides a uniform texture.
- C. Ensure the ground surface is of uniform texture. In each lane, ensure at least 95% of the area in each 100 foot section has a newly textured surface. Depressed pavement areas due to subsidence or other localized causes and areas containing feathering due to pavement structures will be exempted from texturing requirements.
- D. Except at joints and cracks, ensure grinding depth does not exceed 1/2 inch. At joints and cracks, ensure grinding depth does not exceed 3/4 inch.

# 3.04 DIAMOND GRINDING (Continued)

- E. For multiple passes, ensure overlaps do not exceed 1 inch. Begin at the crown of the roadway, proceeding toward the pavement edge with each subsequent pass. Ensure each subsequent pass is at least as deep as the previous pass in order to provide transverse drainage. All passes are to begin and end at the same station location. Ensure no unground areas are left between passes. For grinding adjacent to an unground turn lane or other pavement surface, feather smoothly from the edge of the ground surface to the unground surface leaving no more than a 1/8 inch ridge. If street surface to be ground includes a curb and gutter section, extend grinding to within 4 inches of the curb face and feather to provide proper drainage.
- F. Assemble and adjust the grinding head as necessary during the project to produce the following tolerances on pavements with the indicated coarse aggregates. Both the distance between grooves and the texture depth must be within the specified range to be in compliance. Assemble the grinding head to produce the tolerances indicated below for the type of coarse aggregate in the pavement.

	Crushed Stone	Gravel/Quartzite
Width of Land Area Between Grooves*	0.090" to 0.110"	0.080" to 0.095"
Texture Depth**	Target of 1/8" with average between 1/16" and 3/16"	

Based on an average of a minimum of ten measurements across the ground width for one pass.

\*\*Based on an average of a minimum of six measurements across the ground width for one pass.

- G. Prior to enforcement of the tolerances listed above, a test area 300 feet long and the width of the grinding head will be allowed for a new head that has been restacked, provided a surface texture in reasonable conformance with the specifications, as determined by the Engineer, is being produced.
- H. Ensure the transverse slope of the ground pavement is uniform to a degree that there are no depressions or misalignment of slope greater than 1/4 inch in 12 feet when tested by string line or straightedge placed perpendicular to the centerline.
- I. Continuously remove all slurry or residue resulting from the grinding operations with a wellmaintained vacuum system and remove from the project limits. Ensure residue from grinding operations does not flow across lanes occupied by public traffic or into gutters, storm sewers, ditches, or other drainage facilities.
- J. Measure smoothness with a 10-foot straightedge. Regrind high spots to ensure no surface deviations greater than 1/8 inch remain. When profilograph testing is specified in the contract documents, comply with <u>lowa DOT Materials I.M. 341</u> and the following requirements:
  - 1. Prior to performing any grinding work, provide a control profilogram for each lane and/or segment over 50 feet in length that is to be ground. Ensure pavement is relatively clean and free of debris prior to establishing the control profilogram.
  - 2. Ensure each segment of the finished ground surface has a final profile index less than or equal to 35% of the control profilogram trace or 22 inches per mile, whichever is greater, and does not include any bumps exceeding 1/2 inch in 25 feet.
  - 3. Depressed pavement areas due to subsidence or other localized causes and areas where the maximum cut restricts further grinding will be excluded from testing with the profilograph when approved by the Engineer.
- K. Recheck smoothness following any regrinding activities to ensure compliance with the above requirements.

## 3.05 MILLING

- A. Use equipment complying with <u>lowa DOT Article 2531.03, A</u>.
- B. Mill the entire pavement area designated to the depth specified in the contract documents. Mill in straight lines. Make sufficient passes, or cuts, such that all irregularities or high spots are eliminated.
- C. Control milling operations to provide a surface that is true within a nominal tolerance of 1/4 inch and 1/4 inch at longitudinal joints where adjacent passes meet. The profile may be inspected by checking with a 10 foot surface checker placed parallel to the centerline. Correct variations greater than 1/4 inch.
- D. Load cuttings directly into dump trucks and remove the remaining small cuttings and debris from the street. Sweep the scarified surface with a rotary broom before opening to traffic. Unless otherwise specified in the contract documents, all materials removed are property of the Contractor.
- E. Do not operate metal tracked equipment on streets, other than those being milled.
- F. Ensure excessive dust does not become airborne during construction. Additional water may be required at any time for dust control.
- G. Mill around manholes and utility valves. Correct any damage to manholes or valves by the milling operation at no additional cost to the Contracting Authority.
- H. Do not leave a vertical drop of more than 2 inches at the centerline or lane line overnight. Taper the ends of milled sections subject to traffic to provide a uniform and gradual transition.

# 3.06 CRACK AND JOINT CLEANING AND FILLING, HOT POUR

### A. General:

- 1. Use equipment complying with lowa DOT Articles 2541.03 (HMA) and 2542.03 (PCC).
- 2. Rout or saw joints and cracks with an average opening of 3/8 inch or less to provide a minimum sealant reservoir of 3/8 inch wide by a nominal 1/2 inch deep.

### B. Crack and Joint Cleaning:

- 1. Clean cracks or joints of existing joint filler material, backer rod, vegetation, dirt, and other foreign material.
- 2. Clean joints or cracks by air blasting or by other methods as necessary to remove debris.
- 3. If specified in the contract documents, clean wet sawn joints with high pressure water immediately after sawing to remove residue produced by the sawing operation.
- 4. When cleaned joints or cracks are contaminated before being filled, clean them again before filling.

## C. Crack and Joint Filling:

1. Ensure cracks and joints are dry prior to placement of filler material.

# 3.06 CRACK AND JOINT CLEANING AND FILLING, HOT POUR (Continued)

- 2. Heat, handle, and apply joint filler material to the proper level as specified in the contract documents and as recommended by the manufacturer.
  - a. PCC Pavement: Do not overfill joint or crack with filler material. Immediately remove filler material placed on the pavement surface.
  - b. HMA Pavement: Slightly overfill the entire crack reservoir with filler material. Smooth with a narrow V-shaped squeegee immediately after placement of the filler material to within 1/2 inch on each side of the crack edge.
- 4. Place joint filler material when the pavement and ambient air temperatures are 40°F or higher. When near this minimum, additional air blasting or drying time, or both, may be necessary to ensure a satisfactory bond to the joint surfaces.
- 5. Lanes may be opened to traffic only after the filler material has set sufficiently so it will not pick up under traffic. Blotting material may be applied to the filler material, but only after the surface has set to avoid penetration of the blotting material into the filler material.

### 3.07 CRACK CLEANING AND FILLING, EMULSION

Use emulsified asphalt for filling cracks in HMA surfaces only. Do not use on PCC pavements.

### A. General:

- 1. Clean cracks with either high pressure air or water equipment. Do not use water when freezing temperatures exist or are forecasted.
- 2. Ensure vegetation is removed from cracks. Alternative cleaning methods may be necessary to remove vegetation.
- 3. When specified in the contract documents, apply a soil sterilant in crack prior to placing the filler material.
- 4. For filling cracks, use a hand operated wand or pouring pot, capable of placing the filler material into the crack and filling to the adjacent surface. Use a spout or nozzle small enough to place the filler material into the crack without soiling the adjacent surface.
- 5. Immediately after placement of the filler material, tightly spread the emulsion using a 2 inch, or less, V-shaped rubber-edged squeegee. Take proper measures to hold the filler in place and prevent runout at edge of pavement or at low areas.

### B. Cracks Wider Than 1 inch:

- 1. Clean the cracks of loose and spalled material, sand, and other foreign debris to a depth of 3 inches using high pressure water.
- 2. When specified in the contract documents, utilize additional methods to clean cracks of old crack filler.
- 3. Blow the cleaned cracks free of water with high pressure air.
- 4. Lightly apply a tack coat to the crack surfaces.

# 3.07 CRACK CLEANING AND FILLING, EMULSION (Continued)

- 5. Fill the cracks with hot mix asphalt.
  - a. Ensure mix is warm and pliable when placed.
  - b. Rod and tamp the mix into place level with the adjacent surface.
  - c. Place mixture prior to filling cracks with emulsion.
- 6. Place a thin application of emulsion over the hot mix asphalt and tightly spread with a squeegee.

## C. Cracks 1/4 inch to 1 inch in Width:

- 1. Clean the cracks of loose and spalled material, sand, and other foreign debris with high pressure air or high pressure water. Clean crack down to sound material, but a depth greater than 3 inches will not be required.
- 2. When specified in the contract documents, utilize additional methods to clean cracks of old crack filler.
- 3. Fill cracks with emulsion filler material.

## D. Cracks Less Than 1/4 inch in Width:

- 1. Clean sufficiently to remove sand and other foreign debris.
- 2. Fill cracks with emulsion filler material.

### E. Map-cracked (Alligator) Areas:

- 1. Cover area with emulsion filler material.
- 2. Spread emulsion over area with squeegee, working emulsion into cracks. Provide a thin, smooth application.
- 3. Promptly cover the filler material with a light application of blotter material.

### 3.08 PAVEMENT REMOVAL

- A. Saw full depth at pavement removal limits.
- B. Extend pavement removal limits to existing joint lines as directed by the Engineer.
- C. Protect existing pavement, beyond removal limits, from damage. Remove to a new saw line and replace, at no additional cost to the Contracting Authority, all concrete broken or damaged beyond the removal limits designated by the Engineer.

### 3.09 CURB AND GUTTER REMOVAL

- A. Saw longitudinally along the existing gutter joint or at a location directed by Engineer. Saw transversely at the curb and gutter removal limits.
- B. Remove existing curb and gutter without damaging the existing pavement to remain.

# 3.10 DOWEL BAR RETROFIT

## A. Cutting and Preparing Slots:

- 1. Cut slots to the required width and depth with gang saw capable of cutting a minimum of three slots in each wheel path simultaneously. Multiple cuts in each slot may be required.
- 2. Use 30 pound maximum pneumatic hammers operated at a 45 degree angle or less to remove concrete from the slots. Prevent damage to surrounding concrete. Smooth and level the bottom of the slots with a lightweight bush hammer.
- 3. Sandblast or waterblast to clean exposed surfaces of slot and fill transverse contraction joint on the bottom and sides of the slot with caulking filler.

## B. Placing Dowel Bars:

- 1. Set dowel bars at the depth shown on the plans with chair devices.
- 2. Ensure dowel bars are parallel to the centerline of the pavements and to the pavement surface.
- 3. Place dowel bars within 1/4 inch of required alignment.
- 4. Center dowel bars over transverse joints or cracks so a minimum of 6 inches extends into adjacent panel.
- 5. Cut foam core material and place at center of dowel bar so the material is flush with the pavement surface or slightly recessed and in line with the joint or crack. Maintain foam core material in vertical position, tight to the slot edges during grout placement.

# C. Grouting:

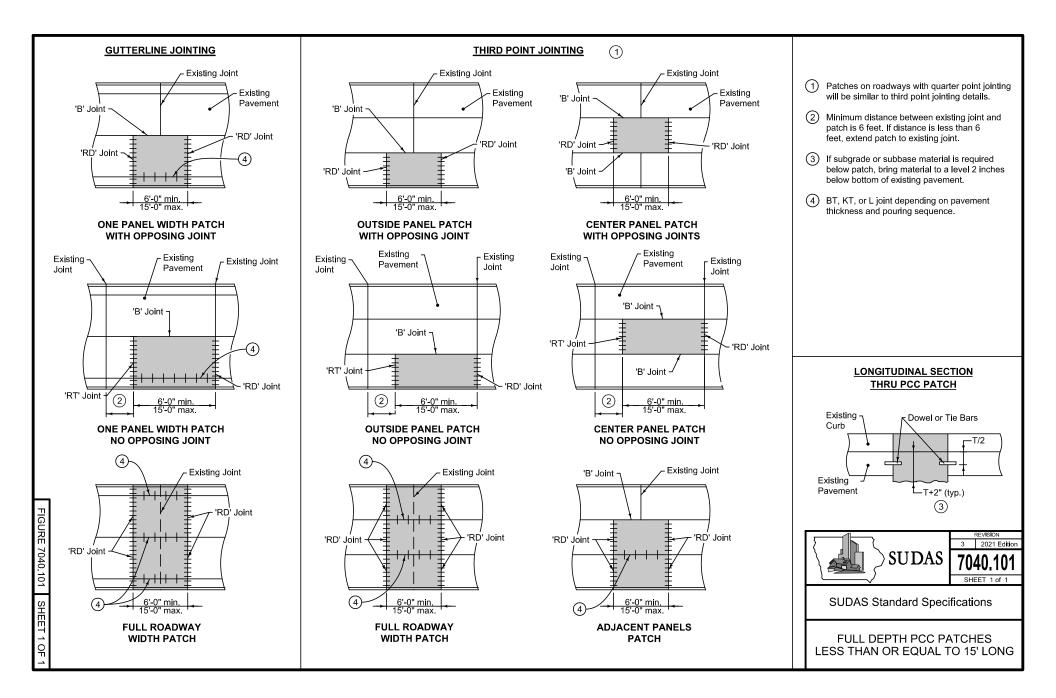
- 1. Thoroughly moisten all surfaces of the slot immediately prior to filling with grout. Remove any excess water with compressed air.
- 2. Produce grout with a portable mixer and place immediately after mixing and before grout has attained initial set. Do not retemper grout with water.
- 3. Place grout according to manufacturer's recommendations. Consolidate with hand held vibrator. If pavement is to be diamond ground place grout 1/8 inch higher than surrounding pavement. Place grout flush if the pavement is not to be ground.
- 4. Thoroughly coat grout with white pigment curing compound immediately after placement.
- D. Re-establish Joints or Cracks: After grout has attained sufficient strength, re-establish joint or crack above the foam core insert within 8 hours of grout placement by means of sawing. If foam board is visible, sawing is not required.

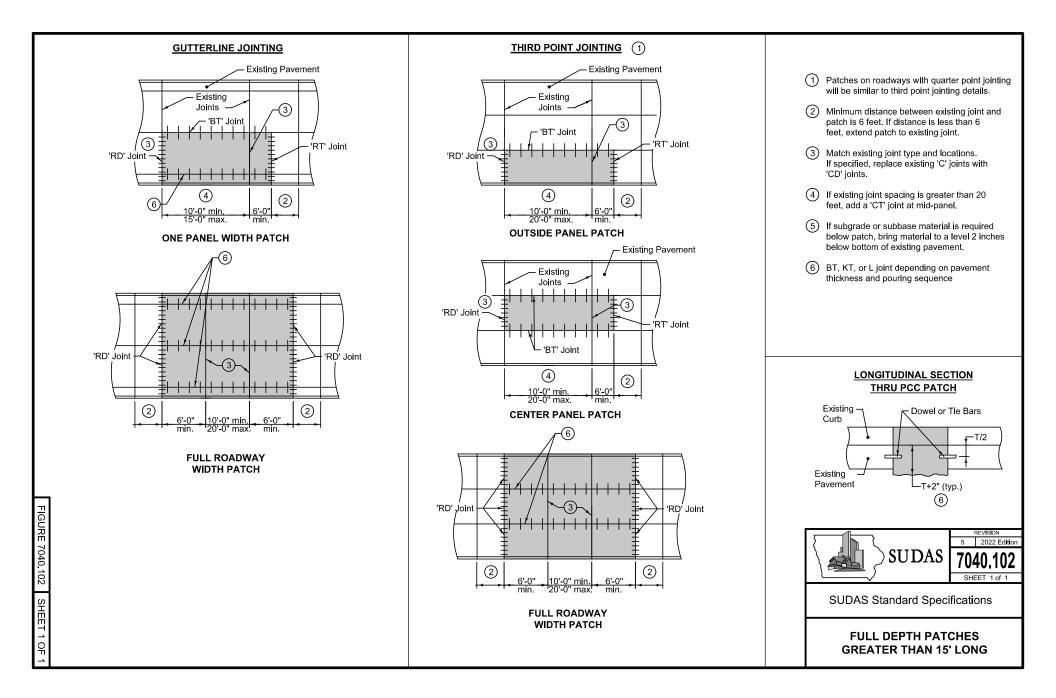
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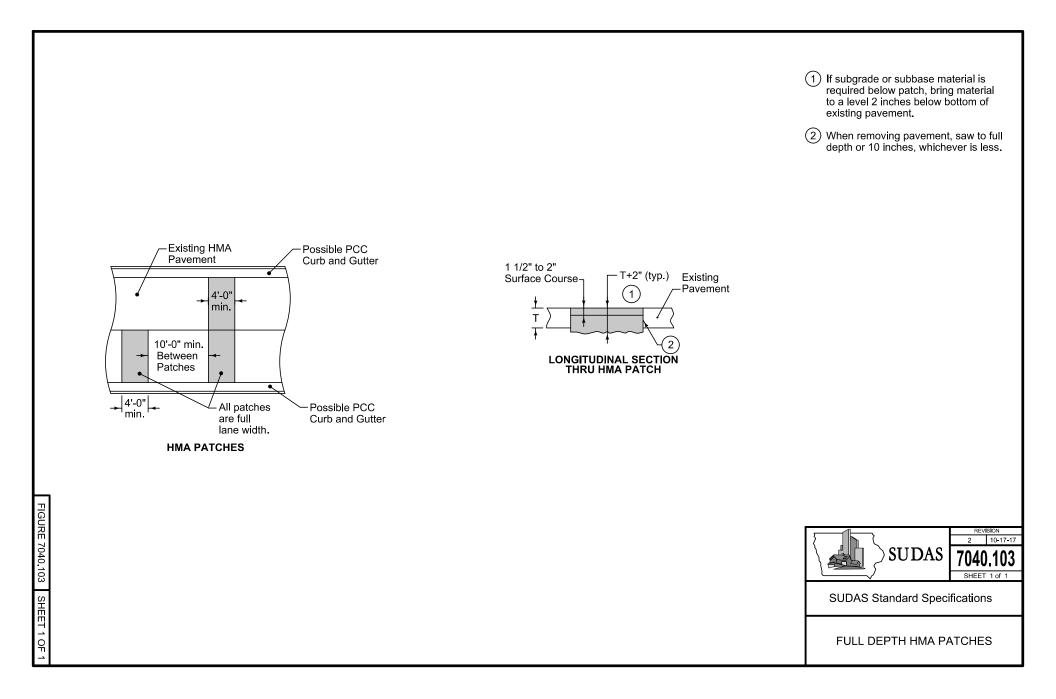
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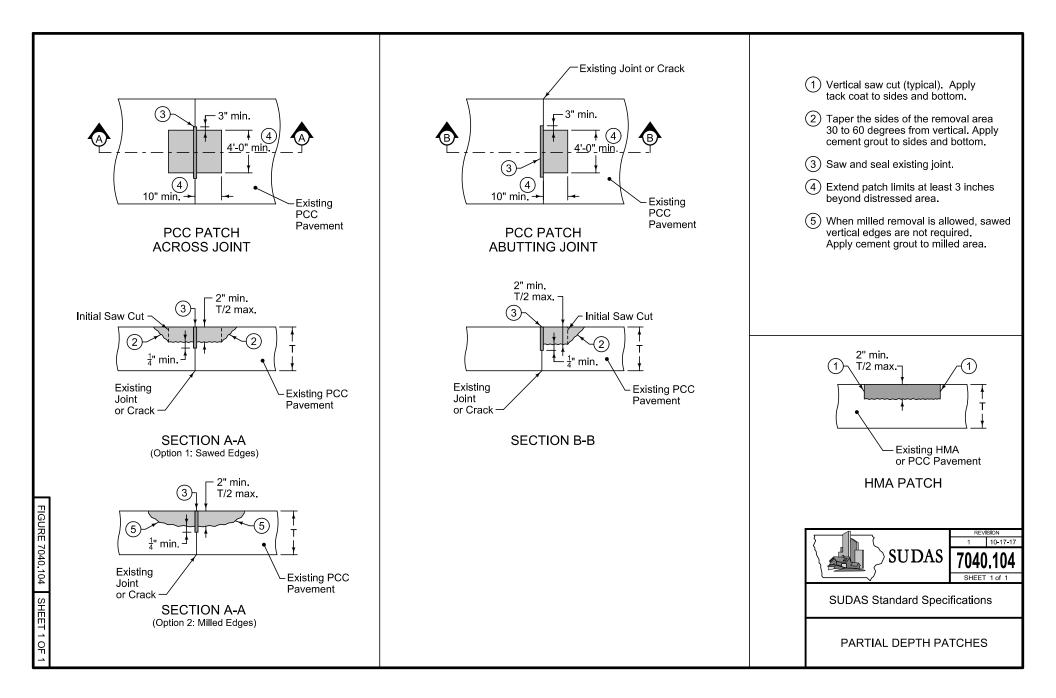
- 1. Place a temporary mark on the pavement core and adjacent pavement if the core is to be reinstalled. Maximum diameter is 12 inches.
- 2. Utilize a diamond bit with the vertical alignment of core hole saw perpendicular to the horizon. Include a center core hole or another mechanism to extract the core without damage.
- 3. Cut the full depth of the existing pavement. Protect core from damage if it is expected to be re-used.
- 4. Vacuum or hydro excavate to expose the buried infrastructure. Maintain vertical sides.
- B. Backfill: Place backfill using suitable native soil compacted to 95% Standard Proctor Density according to <u>Section 3010</u>, granular material compacted to 65% Relative Density, CLSM, or foamed cellular concrete to the elevation required in <u>Figure 7040.107</u>.
- C. Pavement Core Replacement: Comply with Figure 7040.107 and the following.
  - If allowed by the Jurisdiction, replace pavement core utilizing waterproof bonding material. Mix and place bonding material according to the manufacturer's recommendations to fill the annular space around the core and the original slab. Ensure reinstalled core is in its original orientation and is flush and level with the adjacent pavement. Remove excess bonding material.
  - 2. For PCC pavement install rebar pins and place low slump concrete to match elevation of existing pavement.
  - 3. For asphalt pavements, use standard traffic surface, 1/2 inch mix, and PG 58-28S binder. Maximum lift thickness is 2 inches. If allowed by the Engineer, replace core with low slump concrete or pre-mixed high performance cold mix generally meeting the asphalt mixture noted above. Match elevation of existing pavement.

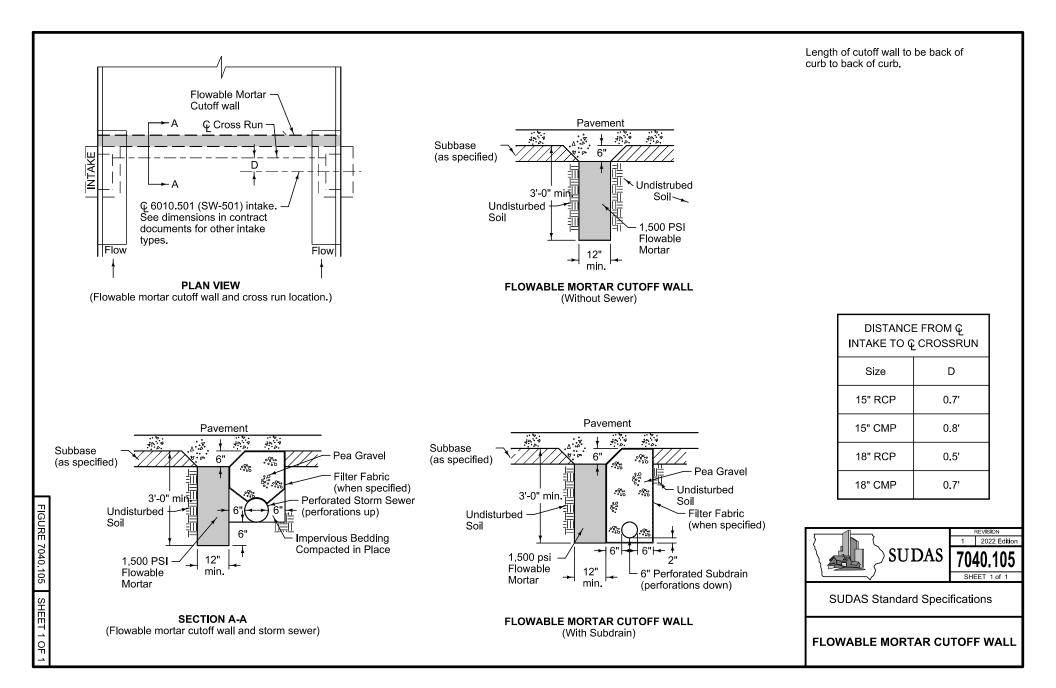
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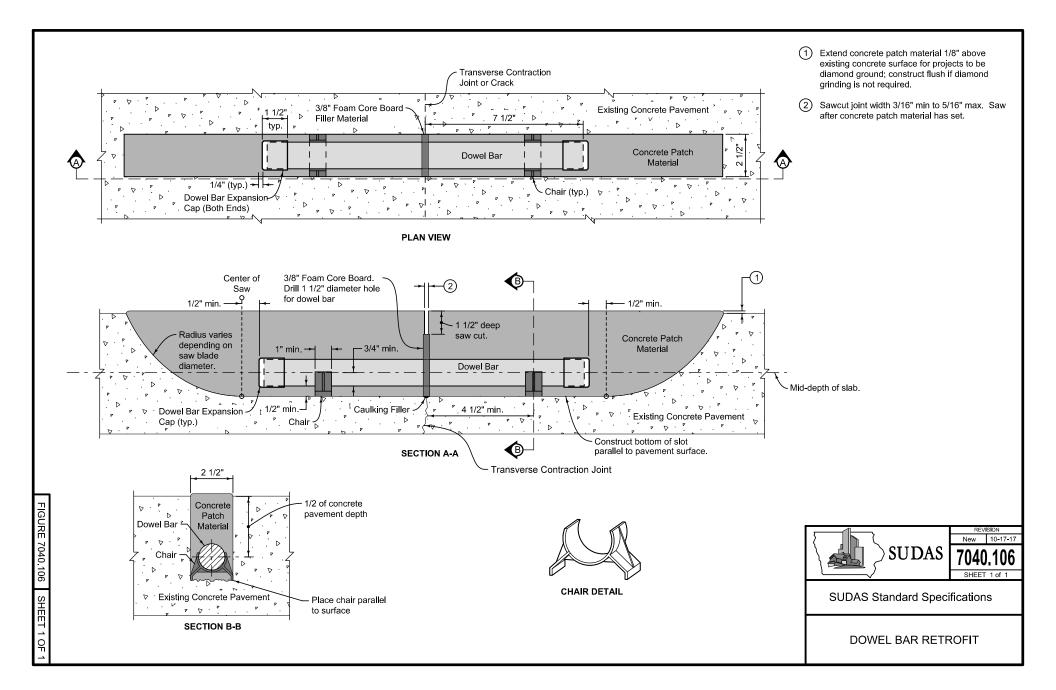


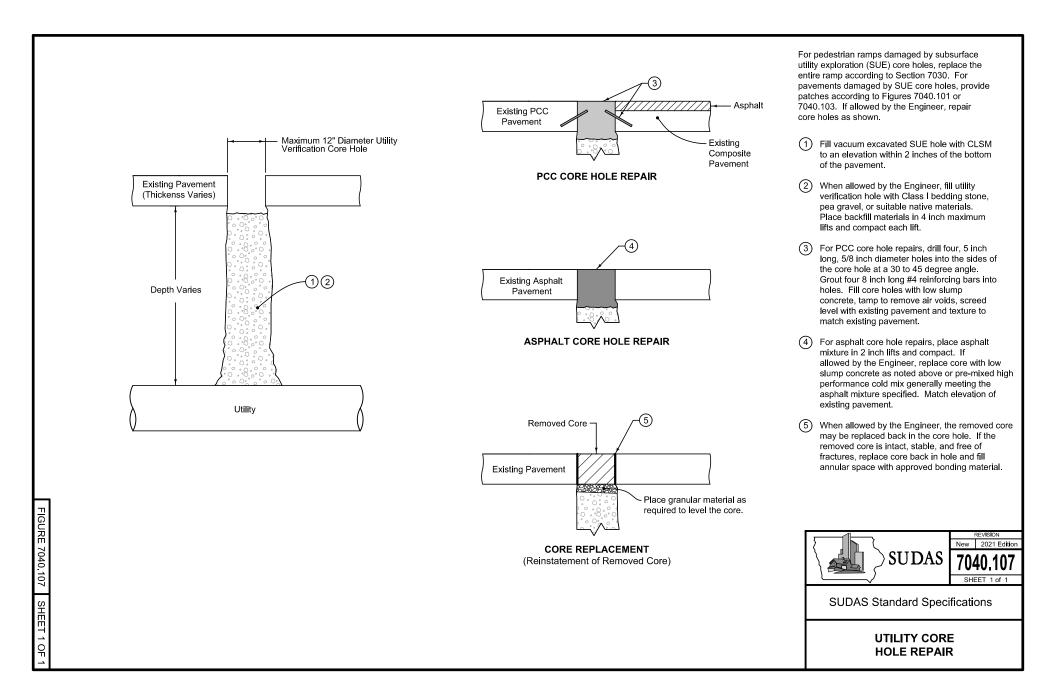












### ASPHALT STABILIZATION

## PART 1 - GENERAL

# 1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

Asphalt Stabilization for existing unpaved roadways

#### 1.02 DESCRIPTION OF WORK

Asphalt stabilization consists of a mixture of emulsified asphalt, imported mineral aggregate, and existing roadway material; properly proportioned, mechanically mixed, spread evenly on the surface specified, compacted in place and surfaced to the thickness, width, and crown specified in the plans.

#### 1.03 SUBMITTALS

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants.

### 1.04 SUBSTITUTIONS

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants.

## 1.05 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants.

### 1.06 SCHEDULING AND CONFLICTS

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants.

#### 1.07 SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS

None.

### 1.08 MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT

#### A. Asphalt Stabilization:

- 1. Measurement: Measurement will be in square yards for asphalt stabilization.
- 2. Payment: Payment will be at the unit price per square yard of asphalt stabilization.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, furnishing and spreading imported material, applying and incorporating asphalt stabilization, blending of the materials, grading and compacting the blended materials, and final clean up.
- **B.** Fixture Adjustment: Comply with <u>Section 6010</u> for adjustment of manholes and intakes and <u>Section 5020</u> for adjustment of water valves and fire hydrants.
- **C. Re-shaping Ditches:** Comply with <u>Section 2010</u> for Class 10, Class 12 or Class 13 Excavation.

# PART 2 - PRODUCTS

# 2.01 MATERIALS

- A. Asphalt Emulsion: Comply with the slow setting cationic emulsified asphalt; CSS-1 per ASTM D 2397.
- **B.** Aggregate: Pitrun gravel, crushed stone, or reclaimed material as specified in the contract documents.

# PART 3 - EXECUTION

### 3.01 EQUIPMENT

Comply with <u>lowa DOT Section 2001</u> for all equipment, tools, and machines used in the performance of this work.

- **A.** Motor Grader: Include attachments for scarifying, shaping, ditching, grading, and sloping. A basic motor grader does not weigh less than 22,000 pounds.
- **B.** Asphalt Distributor: Ensure the tank is insulated and range in capacity from 500 to 1,500 gallons. The truck mounted asphalt distributor must have a circulating system, spray bar (fully circulating), and calibration controls.
- **C. Pug-mill Mixer:** Use a road reclaiming machine or similar tractor mounted or towed mechanical mixers for blending, emulsion, and roadway aggregates.
- **D. Rollers:** A vibratory type roller compactor, minimum static weight 10,000 pounds, and minimum dynamic force of 15,000 pounds is recommended. Rollers must be capable of compacting a 6 inch lift of blended asphalt stabilized material to a minimum density of 95% of maximum Standard Proctor Density.

### 3.02 RE-SHAPING DITCHES

- A. Remove excess and undesirable material from side ditches and properly dispose of material.
- B. Shape ditches as shown on typical cross-section. Do not place excess material excavated from ditch on the roadway but dispose of material off of the roadway.

# 3.03 PREPARE / PLACE BASE MATERIAL

- A. Reclaim present surface material by pulverizing the existing roadway surface to a minimum depth of 4 inches or the depth specified by the Engineer for the full length and width of the designated roadway.
- B. Spread the imported aggregate as uniformly as possible on center 15 feet of roadway at the rate of 10 pounds per square foot for the full length of designated roadway.

## 3.04 SURFACE FIXTURE ADJUSTMENT

Adjust manhole frames and other fixtures within area to be paved to conform to finished surface. Comply with <u>Section 6010, 3.04</u> for manhole adjustments and <u>Section 5020, 3.04</u> for water fixture adjustments.

# 3.05 APPLICATION AND MIXING OF ASPHALT EMULSION

- A. Do not apply asphalt stabilization during rainfall, when excessive moisture content exists, when the air temperature is below 50° F in the shade, or during night conditions.
- B. Incorporate asphalt emulsion with a pug-mill mixer, road reclaimer, or similar machine, capable of thoroughly mixing and/or incorporating the emulsion in a single pass.
- C. Alternately, a distributor truck may be used to apply the asphalt emulsion. Apply one-half of the required emulsion. Thoroughly blade mix to incorporate the emulsion into the aggregate. Once the emulsion is worked into the aggregate, windrow the mixture and apply the second half of the emulsion and incorporate as noted above.
- D. Adjust the application rate to obtain a minimum of 3% residual asphalt.

### 3.06 GRADE AND COMPACT MATERIAL

- A. Blade blended material on the roadway to form a uniform mat over the final design crosssection.
- B. Obtain final cross-section and smoothness by compaction with a sheepsfoot and subsequent rolling with vibratory and pneumatic rollers and alternating final blade shaping. Continue rolling until compacted to a minimum of 95% of maximum Standard Proctor Density.
- C. Following compaction, open roadway to traffic.

### 3.07 SURFACE TREATMENT

After a minimum of 48 hours, re-close the roadway and apply the surface treatment specified in the contract documents. Comply with <u>Section 7060</u>, Bituminous Seal Coat; <u>Section 7070</u>, Emulsified Asphalt Slurry Seal; or <u>Iowa DOT Article 2306</u>, Bituminous Fog Seal. Blot fog seal with sand prior to reopening of the roadway to prevent tracking of the asphalt emulsion.

END OF SECTION

### **BITUMINOUS SEAL COAT**

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

Bituminous Seal Coat Surface

#### 1.02 DESCRIPTION OF WORK

Includes preparation of surface, heating of bituminous materials and placing of the seal coat bitumen, spreading aggregate, and rolling the aggregate.

#### 1.03 SUBMITTALS

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants.

#### 1.04 SUBSTITUTIONS

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants.

### 1.05 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants.

#### 1.06 SCHEDULING AND CONFLICTS

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants.

#### 1.07 SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS

None.

### 1.08 MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT

- A. Bituminous Seal Coat by Area:
  - 1. Measurement: Measurement will be in square yards for bituminous seal coat.
  - 2. Payment: Payment will be at the unit price per square yard of bituminous seal coat.
  - **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, surface preparation including protection of street fixtures; furnishing and placing of materials, including fillets at intersecting streets, driveways, and turnouts; and final clean up.

### B. Bituminous Seal Coat by Units:

- 1. Cover Aggregate:
  - **a. Measurement:** Measurement will be in tons of cover aggregate. If sand is required for bleeding control, it will be measured the same as cover aggregate.
  - **b. Payment:** Payment will be at the unit price per ton of cover aggregate. If sand is required for bleeding control, it will be paid at 75% of the unit price as cover aggregate.
  - **c. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, surface preparation including protection of street fixtures; furnishing and placing of materials, including fillets at intersecting streets, driveways, and turnouts; and final clean up.

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# 1.08 MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT (Continued)

# 2. Binder Bitumen:

- **a. Measurement:** Measurement will be in gallons of binder bitumen furnished and incorporated, including street surface, fillets, and turnouts.
- **b. Payment:** Payment will be at the unit price per gallon of binder bitumen furnished and incorporated.
- **c. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, furnishing and placing of materials, including fillets at intersecting streets, driveways, and turnouts; and final clean up.

# PART 2 - PRODUCTS

# 2.01 MATERIALS

**A. Aggregates:** Use an aggregate cover that is washed and composed of crushed, hard durable gravel, crushed stone, or mixture with abrasion loss by AASHTO T 96 not exceeding 40%. Gradation complying with the following:

	Percent Passing									
Sieve	1/2"		3/8"		1/4"		No. 4		Sand	
Size	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max
3/4"	100									
1/2"	97	100	100							
3/8"	40	90	90	100	100				100	
1/4"							100			
No. 4	0	30	10	55	55	85	85	100		
No. 8	0	15	0	20	0	10	10	40	60	90
No. 30			0	7			0	85		40
No. 200	0	2	0	1.5	0	1.5	0	1.5	0	1.5

B. Bituminous Material: Unless the contract documents specify a specific grade, use cationic emulsion CRS-2P binder bitumen complying with <u>lowa DOT Section 4140</u>. Other grades include CRS-2 according to <u>lowa DOT Section 4140</u> or HFRS-2 complying with AASHTO T 59.

Use cut back asphalt MC-800 or MC 3000, meeting <u>lowa DOT Section 4138</u>, if specified in the contract documents.

Use grade CSS-1, CSS-1H, or SS-1H, meeting <u>lowa DOT Section 4140</u>, if specified in the contract documents for dust control. Dilute with water prior to application. Use an initial dilution rate of seven parts water to one part emulsion.

# PART 3 - EXECUTION

# 3.01 EQUIPMENT

# A. Aggregate Spreaders:

- 1. Spreader:
  - Self propelled, mounted on pneumatic tires, with a width of spread not less than 12 feet.
  - Capable of spreading aggregate specified above at a rate desired from 3 to 50 pounds per square yard of surface covered without contact of the wheels of the spreader with the treated surface until the aggregate has been spread.
  - Sufficient power to propel itself at uniform speed on gradients up to 6%.
  - Have cutoff plates to allow the width of spread to be reduced in increments of 1 foot from the maximum width down to 4 feet wide.
- **2. Hopper:** Minimum capacity of 5 tons.

### **B.** Bitumen Distributors:

- Mount on dependable motor trucks equipped with pneumatic tires.
- Provided with burners with heating coils and an accurate thermometer indicating temperature of the bitumen in the tank.
- Supply bitumen to spray bars to produce an even spray at rates varying from 0.03 gallon to 0.5 gallon per square yard in a smooth uniform coating at a forward speed of up to 20 mph.
- Adjust the spray bars vertically and provide a total spray width of no less than 12 feet.
- When emulsion binder bitumen is used, use a distributor spray bar equipped with nozzles specifically designed to apply emulsion.
- Before the work is started, provide the Engineer with a written statement indicating the size or part number of the nozzles recommended by the manufacturer and certifying the nozzles are installed on the distributor.
- Operate distributors according to manufacturer's instructions for use for spray bar height above surface, nozzle size, angle of spray fan, and tables of rates of distribution in gallons per square yard for tachometer readings. Verify distributor before using.
- **C. Brooms:** A power-driven rotary or pick-up broom is required for cleaning surfaces before the bitumen is applied.
  - Driven by an auxiliary motor or by power take-off.
  - When using a power broom to remove loose aggregate from a newly seal coated surface, ensure it is capable of exerting uniform down pressure (for the full width of the broom and without vibration or bounce) sufficient to remove loose aggregate without dislodging particles that are stuck in the binder bitumen.

# D. Rollers:

- Self-propelled, pneumatic tire rollers, with tires no smaller than 7.50 by 15 size.
- Load rollers to produce a compressive force of no less than 200 pounds per inch width of the roller.
- Ensure tire inflation is no less than 60 psi.
- Do not use steel rollers unless authorized by the Engineer.

# 3.02 SURFACE PREPARATION

#### A. Hard Surfaced Streets:

- 1. If specified, complete patching and joint filling according to <u>Section 7040</u>.
- 2. Immediately before bitumen is applied, clean the entire surface to be treated, as well as the adjacent gutters, of all foreign material, including dust and weeds.
- 3. Sweep, clean, and perform work required to produce a clean surface. If the power broom fails to remove dust from depressions and pockets, use hand brooms.
- 4. Remove the material that was cleaned from the surface. This material becomes the property of the Contractor.
- 5. Use a suitable covering to protect the items below from being soiled by bitumen. Leave the protective covering in place until the bitumen has set and no splashing occurs under traffic.
  - Curbs and handrails of bridges
  - Guardrails
  - Headwalls of culverts
  - Pavements
  - Curbs and gutters
  - Manholes and utility accesses
  - Intakes
  - Water and gas valves
  - Railroad flangeways
  - Other installations requiring protection
- 6. Place suitable covering, as required, to prevent cover aggregate from entering intakes or other similar structures during placement and while brooming excess cover aggregate.

#### B. Rock Surfaced Streets: Comply with Section 7050.

#### 3.03 HEATING BITUMINOUS MATERIAL

Heat bituminous materials to the temperature that allows uniform spreading. It is estimated that temperatures between the following limits will produce the desired viscosity. Material that has been damaged by overheating will be rejected.

Designation	Temperature
CRS-2	125-185
CRS-2P	125-185
HFRS-2	125-185
MC 800	175-255
MC 3000	215-290
MC 70	145-165

# 3.04 SPREADING BITUMINOUS MATERIAL

**A. General:** Do not apply seal coats after September 15 unless temperatures in the shade are 60°F and rising and the work is approved by the Engineer. Do not spread until the distributor has been tested to ensure a uniform distribution of bitumen. Minimize longitudinal overlap of adjacent bitumen applications. Spread between 95% and 105% of the bituminous material the Engineer prescribes. Correct the rate of application for temperature to deliver the desired volume at 60°F.

# 3.04 SPREADING BITUMINOUS MATERIAL (Continued)

**B. Spreading Binder Bitumen:** Do not place seal coat on a wet surface or in night conditions. Apply bitumen to the prepared base at the rate shown in the table below, if not otherwise specified in the contract documents.

Aggregate	Application rate (Gal/SY)
1/2"	0.27
3/8"	0.24
1/4"	0.21
No. 4	0.18
Sand	0.15

Close adjacent applications of bitumen with a minimum longitudinal lap. For CRS-2P and CRS-2, spread the binder bitumen on an area no greater than can be covered with aggregate and initially rolled within 2 minutes. Place the bitumen spreader and aggregate spreader as close as possible, but no more than 150 feet apart. Do not allow the length of spread to be greater than can be completely rolled within 30 minutes after the bitumen spreader as possible, mot to exceed 200 feet.

For HFRS-2 emulsions, allow a slight skim to be formed on the surface before spreading aggregate.

#### C. Joints:

- 1. Secure binder bitumen distribution at the specified rate of application using paper placed at the start of each distributor run. Use commercial grade building paper that is approved by the Engineer and is no less than 36 inches wide.
- 2. When the end of the run joins newly placed seal coat, place paper at that joint also. Cut the joint straight along the off edge of the paper. Remove the seal coat material on the paper adjacent to the off edge from the roadbed surface. Ensure a smooth ride is obtained.
- **D.** Spreading Cover Aggregate: Promptly after spreading bitumen on any section, spread cover aggregate of the size specified uniformly over the treated area as noted in the table below, if not otherwise specified in the contract documents.

Aggregate	Application Rate (lbs/SY)
1/2"	24
3/8"	21
1/4"	18
No. 4	18
Sand	18

E. Maintenance During Construction Period: If bleeding occurs during construction, cover area with 15 pounds of sand per square yard to control bleeding. Rolling is not required.

### 3.05 ROLLING

- A. Complete initial pass of pneumatic tired roller within 2 minutes after spreading the cover aggregate. Complete rolling operations within 30 minutes after binder bitumen has been sprayed. Operate rollers at a speed of no more than 5 mph.
- B. Five passes of a roller is required for cover aggregate; one pass is required for sand applied as cover.

### 3.05 ROLLING (Continued)

C. Do not apply succeeding applications of binder bitumen until rolling operations are completed for the previous course.

# 3.06 TWO COURSE SEAL COATS

A. First Course Construction: Complete as specified above.

### **B.** Second Course Construction:

### 1. Preparation of Roadbed:

- a. After completing the first course, prepare the roadbed for the second course either:
  - With a vacuum machine, or
  - By lightly brooming the full surfaced width with the power sweeper to remove all loose material.
- b. After cleaning, roll the entire surface once with a roller.
- c. Complete the preparation of the roadbed in sections just prior to application of bitumen for the second course.
- 2. Spreading Binder Bitumen: Spread bitumen on the prepared surface at the rate specified in the contract documents.
- 3. Spreading Cover Aggregate: Spread cover aggregate of the size specified over the treated area at the rate specified in the contract documents, promptly after spreading bitumen on any section of roadbed.

### 3.07 CLEAN UP

After final rolling operation, use a sweeper with a dust suppressant system to pick up loose aggregate. Complete clean up as directed by the Engineer, but no more than 21 days after application. For rural-type pavements, the Engineer may determine that sweeping is not necessary.

### END OF SECTION

# EMULSIFIED ASPHALT SLURRY SEAL

### PART 1 - GENERAL

# 1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

Emulsified Asphalt Slurry Seal

#### 1.02 DESCRIPTION OF WORK

Includes the requirements for surface treatment of an existing pavement with an application of an emulsified asphalt slurry seal. In addition, the work may involve the following items:

- A. Slurry Leveling: Use fine slurry mixtures to fill shallow depressions in the pavement and over cracks.
- **B.** Strip Slurry Treatment: Applications of fine or coarse slurry mixtures as specified in the contract documents

#### 1.03 SUBMITTALS

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants.

### 1.04 SUBSTITUTIONS

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants.

#### 1.05 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants, as well as the following:

Keep the various aggregate products separate, and make adequate provisions to prevent intermingling. Handle stockpiling and processing in a manner that will ensure uniform incorporation of the aggregate into the mix.

# 1.06 SCHEDULING AND CONFLICTS

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants.

#### 1.07 SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS

None.

### 1.08 MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT

#### A. Emulsified Asphalt Slurry Seal by Area:

- 1. Measurement: Measurement will be in square yards for emulsified asphalt slurry seal.
- 2. Payment: Payment will be at the unit price per square yard of emulsified asphalt slurry seal.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, surface preparation and furnishing and placing of materials, including fillets at intersecting streets, driveways, and turnouts.

# 1.08 MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT (Continued)

# B. Emulsified Asphalt Slurry Seal by Units:

# 1. Aggregate:

- a. Measurement: Measurement will be in tons of aggregate.
- **b. Payment:** Payment will be at the unit price per ton.
- **c. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, surface preparation and furnishing and placing of materials, including fillets at intersecting streets, driveways, and turnouts.

# 2. Asphalt Emulsion:

- **a. Measurement:** Measurement will be in gallons of asphalt emulsion furnished and incorporated, including street surface, fillets, and turnouts.
- **b. Payment:** Payment will be at the unit price per gallon of asphalt emulsion furnished and incorporated.
- **c. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, surface preparation and furnishing and placing of materials, including fillets at intersecting streets, driveways, and turnouts.

# PART 2 - PRODUCTS

## 2.01 MATERIALS

**A.** Asphalt Emulsion: Use a Grade CSS-1H (AASHTO M 208) or SS-1H (AASHTO M 140) emulsified asphalt meeting the requirements of <u>lowa DOT Section 4140</u>.

### B. Aggregate:

- Mineral aggregate consisting of natural or manufactured sand, slag, crusher fines, and others, or a combination thereof.
- Smooth-textured sand not exceeding 50% of the total combined aggregate.
- Clean and free from vegetable matter and other deleterious substances.
- When tested according to ASSHTO 96, shows a loss of no more than 40.
- When specified, use crushed aggregates meeting the requirements of <u>lowa DOT Section</u> <u>4124</u>.

Mineral fillers such as portland cement, limestone dust, fly ash, and others are considered part of the blended aggregate; use in minimum required amounts. Only use fillers if needed to improve the workability of the mix or gradation of the aggregate.

- **C. Mixture Gradation:** Use composite aggregate, excluding mineral filler that complies with the following gradation limits for the specified slurry mixture required:
  - 1. Fine Slurry Mixture: Use aggregate meeting the requirements of <u>lowa DOT Article</u> <u>4109.02</u>, <u>Gradation No. 22 of the Aggregate Gradation Table</u>.
  - 2. Coarse Slurry Mixture: Use aggregate meeting the requirements of <u>lowa DOT Article</u> <u>4109.02</u>, <u>Gradation No. 23 of the Aggregate Gradation Table</u>.
- **D.** Water: Use water that is potable and free of harmful soluble salts in the slurry mixture.

# 2.02 COMPOSITION OF THE SLURRY MIX

- A. Blend the amount of asphalt emulsion with the aggregate as specified in the contract documents and as adjusted in the field.
- B. A minimum amount of water may be added as necessary to obtain a fluid and homogeneous mixture. Mix until the consistency is such that it "rolls" in the spreader box in a continuous mass.
- C. Slurry that segregates in the spreader box, so that flowing of liquids (water and emulsion) is evident, is not acceptable.
- D. Provide the Engineer with a copy of the certified gradations of aggregate proposed for use.
- E. Asphalt Binder Content:
  - 1. Estimated Asphalt Residue Content: 7% to 14% of the dry weight of the aggregate.
  - 2. Mixture Design Film Thickness: 7.5 microns (target value) with a ± 0.75 microns permissible range.
- F. Handling and Sampling Slurry Materials:
  - 1. Stockpiling of Aggregate:
    - a. Take precautions to prevent stockpile contamination with oversized rock, clay, silt, or moisture in excess of which would interfere with the amount of asphalt emulsion required in producing the desired homogeneous slurry mixture.

# 2.02 COMPOSITION OF THE SLURRY MIX (Continued)

- b. Place the stockpile in a well drained area. Do not allow the aggregate to become segregated.
- c. Control the moisture in the aggregate to be within  $\pm$  1.5% of the moisture content of the aggregate at the time of calibration.
- 2. Storage:
  - a. Provide suitable storage facilities for the asphalt emulsion. Use a container equipped to prevent water from entering the emulsion.
  - b. Provide suitable and adequate heat to prevent freezing and to facilitate handling of the asphalt emulsion.
- 3. Sampling: Furnish samples of materials during the process of the work as directed by the Engineer.

#### 2.03 MIX DESIGN

- A. General: Develop the mix design for the slurry mixture using the services of an independent testing laboratory that is certified by the International Slurry Surfacing Association (ISSA). Verify the functioning of the set regulating additives and present certified test results for the Engineer's approval prior to the work commencing. The Engineer will verify the laboratory tests required in ISSA A105 have been conducted.
- **B. Proportions:** Meet following limits.

Mineral Aggregate, dry weight lb/sq yd	15 to 25	
Emulsified Asphalt Residue, % by weight of aggregate	7.5 to 13.5%	
Latex Base Modifier	As required with % by weight of	
(if required)	binder, min. of 5.0	
Mix Set Additive	As required	
Mineral Filler,	0.5 to 2.0% depending on weather	
% by weight of aggregate	conditions	

**C. Compatibility:** Verity the compatibility of the aggregate, emulsified asphalt, mineral filler, and other additives with the mix design. Meet the following requirements for ISSA A105:

ISSA Test No.	Description	Specifications		
	Wet Cohesion			
ISSA TB-139	@ 30 minutes min. (set)	12 kg-cm min.		
	@ 60 minutes min. (traffic)	20 kg-cm min. or Near Spin min.		
ISSA TB-109	Excess Asphalt by LWT	50 gm/sq ft max.		
	Sand Adhesion	50 gm/sq it max.		
ISSA TB-114	Wet Stripping	Pass (90% min.)		
	Wet-Track Abrasion Loss			
ISSA TB-100	One-hour Soak	75 gm/sq ft max.		
ISSA TB-113	Mix Time @ 77°F	Controllable to 180 seconds, min.		
ISSA TB 106	Consistency	0.79-1.18 inches		
ISSA TB 113	Mix Time at 77°F	Controllable to 180 seconds, min.		

Check the mixing test and set time test at the highest temperatures expected during construction.

# 2.03 MIX DESIGN (Continued)

**D. Submittal:** In the mix design, report the quantitative effects of moisture content on the unit weight of the aggregate (bulking effect). Clearly show the proportions of aggregate, mineral filler (minimum and maximum), water (minimum and maximum), additive usage, and asphalt emulsion based on the dry weight of the aggregate.

For the aggregate blend in the mix design, provide the test results for AASHTO T 176 with the mix information to the Engineer. The Engineer's review and approval will be required for aggregate test values below 45.

**E. Approval:** Show the percentages of each individual material required in the laboratory report. Obtain approval from the Engineer for the mix design prior to its use. After approval, substitutions will not be allowed unless approved by the Engineer. Maintain continuous control of the emulsified asphalt to dry aggregate proportioning to conform to the approved mix design within a tolerance of  $\pm 2$  gal/ton.

# PART 3 - EXECUTION

### 3.01 EQUIPMENT

### A. Slurry Mixing Equipment:

- 1. Use a continuous flow mixing unit capable of accurately delivering a predetermined proportion of aggregate, water, control additives, and asphalt emulsion to the mixing chamber, and discharging the thoroughly mixed product on a continuous basis.
- 2. Pre-wet the aggregate immediately prior to mixing with the emulsion. Use a pugmill capable of thoroughly blending all ingredients together.
- 3. When required, use a mixing machine equipped with an approved fines feeder that provides an accurate metering device, or method, to introduce a predetermined proportion of mineral filler into the mixer at the same time and location that the aggregate is fed.
- 4. Use an aggregate feed to the mixer equipped with a revolution counter or similar device so the amount of aggregate used may be determined at any time.
- 5. Use a positive displacement type emulsion pump equipped with a revolution counter or similar device so that the amount of emulsion used may be determined at any time.
- 6. For adding water to the mixer, use a pump equipped with a valve to establish the required water flow.
- 7. Mechanically tie all controls to ensure accurate proportioning of all materials at all times, including starts and stops. On some machines, this can be a simultaneous start and stop of all materials. On other machines, depending on where the materials are introduced into the mixing chamber, the feeds must be properly synchronized.
- 8. Use a one-lever or one-button operation with no means for the operator to adjust the mix proportions, except for the water.
- 9. Use revolution counters that count 0.1 revolutions on mechanisms that turn less than 100 rpm.
- 10. Attach a metering device to the slurry machine for the addition of additive to the mixture or any component material. Use a device that has positive, quick-acting controls, is easily calibrated, and maintains accurate and uniform flow.
- 11. Provide a means for calibrating the mixer. Calibrate and properly mark the controls for proportioning each material to be added to the mix. Use equipment with controls placed so they are readily accessible for calibration and so the Engineer may determine the amount of each material being used at any time. A minimum of three aggregate gate settings will be required for calibration and, if changes in emulsion delivery are necessary, a minimum of three pump changes will be required.
- 12. Use a mixing machine that:
  - Is equipped with a water pressure system and fog type spray bar adequate for complete fogging of the surface preceding spreading equipment,
  - Is controllable to an application range of 0.05 gallon per square yard, and
  - Provides sufficient machine storage capacity to properly mix and apply a minimum of 5 tons of the slurry, except when the mixing machine is operated in a continuous manner and is supplied by separate nurse type equipment.

# 3.01 EQUIPMENT (Continued)

B. Slurry Spreading Equipment:

# 1. Full Width, Slurry Wedge, Strip Slurry Treatment:

- a. Use a mixer machine with an attached mechanical type squeegee distributor equipped with flexible material in contact with the surface to prevent loss of slurry from the distributor. Maintain the squeegee to prevent loss of slurry on varying grades and crown. Include a steering device and a flexible strike off.
- b. Use a spreader box capable of placing the slurry mixture to the width specified in the contract documents. Use a spreader box equipped with vertical adjustment devices attached to horizontal support devices (such as runners) located a minimum of 6 inches inside both ends at the side of the box. This is to ensure uniform distribution on varying grades and crowns. Use vertical adjustment devices of sufficient weight (mass) to keep the horizontal support devices in contact with the roadway surface during operation. Use flexible strike off material of sufficient stiffness to produce the desired texture and rate of application.
- c. Keep the spreader box clean. Do not allow build up of asphalt and aggregate on the box.
- 2. Slurry Leveling: Use metal lutes of varying widths for spreading the slurry mixture in the depressed areas. Ensure the face of each lute is indented (arched) slightly (1/8 inch to 3/16 inch) to aid in controlling the spread.
- **C. Cleaning Equipment:** Use power brooms, power blowers, air compressors, water flushing equipment, or hand brooms for cleaning the surface and cracks.
- **D.** Auxiliary Equipment: Furnish hand squeegees, shovels, and other equipment as necessary to perform the work.
- E. Screening Unit: Use a screening unit to remove objectionable oversize and foreign material that may be encountered. Screen material before loading the slurry machine and/or weighing for payment.

### 3.02 SURFACE PREPARATION

- A. If specified, complete pavement patches and joint or crack filling per Section 7040.
- B. Immediately prior to applying the slurry, clean the surface of all loose material, mud spots, vegetation, and other objectionable material.
- C. Any standard cleaning method used to clean pavements such as power brooms, compressed air, high-pressure water, and hand tools will be acceptable, except water flushing will not be allowed in areas where considerable cracks are present in the pavement surface. The surface preparation is subject to approval of the Engineer prior to placement of the slurry material.
- D. Use a suitable covering to protect the items below from being soiled by bitumen. Leave the protective covering in place until the bitumen has set.
  - Pavements adjacent to the beginning and end of placement.
  - Manholes and Utility accesses.
  - Intakes.
  - Water and gas valves.
  - Railroad flange ways.
  - Other installations requiring protection.

# 3.03 APPLYING SLURRY MATERIAL

- A. When directed by the Engineer, fog the surface of the pavement with water immediately preceding the pass of the spreader. Apply the water fog at such a rate that the entire surface is damp (approximately 0.05 gallon per square yard) with no apparent flowing water in front of the slurry box.
- B. Ensure the slurry mixture is of the desired consistency such that it "rolls" in the spreader in a continuous mass prior to deposit on the surface. Do not exceed 4 minutes for the total time of mixing.
- C. Ensure a sufficient amount of slurry is carried in all parts of the spreader at all times so complete coverage is obtained. Avoid overloading of the spreader. Apply the slurry seal at a rate of 10 to 18 pounds per square yard for fine aggregate and 15 to 22 pounds per square yard for coarse aggregate or as specified in the contract documents. Spread the paving mixture to fill minor cracks and shallow potholes and leave a uniform surface. Verify the application rate from daily readings taken from the proportioning devices during the progress of the work.
- D. No lumping, balling, or unmixed aggregate is allowed. No segregation of the emulsion and aggregate fines from the coarse aggregate is allowed. If the coarse aggregate settles to the bottom of the mix, remove the slurry from the pavement.
- E. Avoid buildup on longitudinal or transverse joints.
- F. Apply a burlap drag to the surface when specified in the contract documents.
- G. Apply strip slurry treatment parallel to the centerline, edge line, or other reference using a guide extending at least 3 feet ahead of the application equipment.
- H. A mechanical device, such as an auger, may be used to distribute the slurry in the spreader box. The use of a mechanical device in the slurry distribution box for strip slurry treatment and slurry wedge application will generally not be required.
- I. Ensure the finished product is uniform in color and composition. Do not leave streaks, such as those caused by oversized aggregate, in the finished surface. If excess streaking develops, the job will be stopped until the Contractor proves to the Engineer that the situation has been corrected. Excessive streaking is defined as more than four drag marks greater than 1/2 inch wide and 4 inch long, or 1 inch wide and 3 inches long, in any 30 square yard area. No transverse ripples or longitudinal streaks of 0.25 inch in depth will be allowed, when measured by placing a 10 feet straightedge over the surface.
- J. Ensure the slurry seal possesses sufficient stability so that premature breaking of the material in the spreader box does not occur. Ensure the mixture is homogeneous during and following mixing and spreading. It must be free of excess water or emulsified asphalt and free of segregation of the emulsified asphalt and aggregate fines from the coarser aggregate. Do not spray water directly into the laydown box while placing slurry seal material.
- K. Provide a smooth, neat seam where two passes meet. Immediately remove excess material from the ends of each run. Repair any damage to, or irregularities in, the slurry seal, as directed by the Engineer. Make all repairs with a paver box, except areas designated as hand work areas.

# 3.03 APPLYING SLURRY MATERIAL (Continued)

- L. Those areas inaccessible to the spreader box and approved by the Engineer may be designated as hand work areas. Use approved squeegees to spread slurry in areas inaccessible to the slurry machine. Adjustments to the additive will be allowed to provide a slower setting time when hand spreading is needed. If hand spreading is necessary, pour the mixture in a small windrow along one edge of the surface to be covered and then spread uniformly by a hand squeegee or lute. Ensure hand work areas have an appearance consistent with the areas placed with a spreader box.
- M. Remove the slurry seal mix from all areas, such as manholes, gutters, and intersections, as directed by the Engineer. On a daily basis, remove any debris associated with the performance of the work.
- N. Check the yield of the application after the first 1,000 feet and throughout each day's paving, with a minimum of three tests per day. Furnish the yield check results to the Engineer daily.
- O. Submit a daily "run sheet" for each day's work as soon as all the data is available. On the run sheet, provide a breakdown of the actual meter numbers and quantities of all materials actually used each day, as well as the respective locations.

### 3.04 SLURRY LEVELING

- A. Ensure the surface to which the slurry leveling is to be applied is moist and clean of dust and foreign material. Scraping and sweeping may be necessary.
- B. Spread the slurry leveling mixture in depressions at and over cracks in the pavement. Spread to the full width of the depression. Level the slurry with a metal lute of the proper width to provide a smooth riding surface. Ensure the slurry leveling is neat in appearance. Do not allow spillage around and between leveled areas. Keep excess material at the pavement edge to a minimum. Scatter excess material across the adjacent shoulder.
- C. Allow the slurry leveling to cure until the area may be open to traffic without pick up or raveling of the leveling mixture.
- D. Ensure the cured slurry has a homogeneous appearance and a uniform texture, fills all cracks in the application area, and adheres to the surface.

## 3.05 LIMITATIONS

- A. Schedule slurry placement to ensure the traffic lanes are opened to traffic 30 minutes before sundown of the same working day. When traffic is maintained, keep the entire roadbed free of construction equipment during non-working hours.
- B. Place slurry mixture between May 1 and October 15, when the temperature is at least 50°F and rising, and the forecast for the next 24 hours is above 40°F.
- C. When this work is done in conjunction with crack cleaning and filling, clean and fill cracks before performing slurry work. The application of slurry and the crack cleaning and filling activity may be done as one coordinated operation.
- D. When placing a strip slurry treatment, both edges of the slurry box must run on the pavement surface.
- E. When the installation of strip slurry treatment is required at a pavement centerline or lane line, the Engineer may require such placement in two separate applications.

# 3.06 CURING AND OPENING TO TRAFFIC

Allow the treated area to cure until it may be opened to traffic without pick up or raveling of the slurry mixture. Repair or replace any damaged caused to the slurry surface by premature opening to traffic at no additional cost to the Contracting Authority.

END OF SECTION

# PERMEABLE INTERLOCKING PAVERS

## PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Subgrade Preparation
- B. Placement of Storage Aggregate
- C. Placement of Filter Aggregate
- D. Placement of Bedding Course
- E. Placement of Permeable Interlocking Pavers
- F. Quality Control
- G. Protection of the Pavement

### 1.02 DESCRIPTION OF WORK

Construct permeable interlocking pavement for mitigation of stormwater runoff.

#### 1.03 SUBMITTALS

- A. Sample Pavers: Representative of the type and color proposed for the project.
- B. Installation Instructions: Manufacturer's published installation instructions.
- **C. Material Certification:** Submit certification letter from paver manufacturer indicating compliance with the ASTM specifications and the contract documents.
- **D. Bedding, Filter, and Storage Aggregates:** Submit 5 pound samples of each aggregate type. Include aggregate type, source, gradation, and compacted void content.
- E. **Project Details:** Include schedule, construction procedures, and quality control plan that describes material staging; paving direction; details of placement and compaction of the storage, filter, and bedding aggregate; and the paver installation procedures.
- F. Involved Parties: Submit a list of all subcontractors, material suppliers, and testing laboratories.

# 1.04 SUBSTITUTIONS

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants.

#### 1.05 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants.

## 1.06 SCHEDULING AND CONFLICTS

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants.

# 1.07 SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS

Install a 5 foot by 5 foot mock-up paver area on the prepared substrate to determine joint sizes, lines, laying patterns, paver edge treatments, colors, and texture of the project. If approved by the Engineer, it may be incorporated into the project.

### 1.08 MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT

A. Class 10, Class 12, or Class 13 Excavation: Comply with Section 2010, 1.08, E.

### B. Engineering Fabric:

- 1. **Measurement:** Measurement will be in square yards for the surface area covered with engineering fabric. Both horizontal and vertical areas covered with engineering fabric will be measured.
- 2. Payment: Payment will be made at the unit price per square yard of engineering fabric.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, placing and securing filter fabric and any overlapped areas.

### C. Underdrain:

- 1. **Measurement:** Each type and size of pipe installed will be measured in linear feet from end of pipe to end of pipe along the centerline of pipe, exclusive of outlets. The vertical height of cleanouts; the vertical height of observation wells; and lengths of elbows, tees, wyes, and other fittings will be included in the length of pipe measured.
- 2. Payment: Payment will be made at the unit price of each type and size of pipe.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, furnishing and placing pipe, cleanouts, observation wells, and pipe fittings.

#### D. Storage Aggregate:

- **1. Measurement:** Measurement will be in tons based upon scale tickets for the material delivered and incorporated into the project.
- 2. Payment: Payment will be made at the unit price per ton of storage aggregate.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, furnishing, hauling, placing, and compacting storage aggregate.

#### E. Filter Aggregate:

- 1. **Measurement:** Measurement will be in tons based upon scale tickets for the material delivered and incorporated into the project.
- 2. Payment: Payment will be made at the unit price per ton of filter aggregate.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, furnishing, hauling, placing filter, and compacting aggregate.

# 1.08 MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT (Continued)

# F. Permeable Interlocking Pavers:

- 1. **Measurement:** Measurement will be in square yards for the area of each type of permeable interlocking pavers installed. The area of manholes, intakes, or other fixtures in the pavement will not be deducted from the measured pavement area.
- 2. **Payment:** Payment will be made at the unit price per square yard of each type of permeable interlocking pavers.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, testing, furnishing and placing bedding course, furnishing and installing permeable interlocking pavers, furnishing and placing joint/opening fill material, refilling joint after 6 months, and pavement protection.

### G. PCC Edge Restraint:

- 1. **Measurement:** Measurement will be in linear feet for each type and size of PCC edge restraint. The area of manholes, intakes, or other fixtures in the pavement will not be deducted from the measured pavement area.
- **2. Payment:** Payment will be at the unit price per linear feet for each type and size of PCC edge restraint.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, final trimming of subgrade or subbase, bars and reinforcement, joints and sealing, surface curing and pavement protection, safety fencing, and boxouts for fixtures.

# PART 2 - PRODUCTS

### 2.01 ENGINEERING FABRIC

Comply with <u>lowa DOT Section 4196</u>, requirements for subsurface drainage.

### 2.02 UNDERDRAIN

- A. Provide slotted or perforated pipe(s) complying with the requirements for Type 1 Subdrain in <u>Section 4040</u>.
- B. Provide 6 inch diameter collector pipes unless otherwise specified in the contract documents.
- C. Provide 4 inch diameter lateral pipes unless otherwise specified in the contract documents.

### 2.03 AGGREGATE

Provide crushed stone with 90% fractured faces. Wash all stone materials to ensure less than 2% passing the No. 200 sieve.

- A. Storage Aggregate: Aggregate complying with <u>lowa DOT Section 4122</u>, <u>Gradation No. 13a</u>, Class 2 durability.
- **B.** Filter Aggregate: Aggregate complying with <u>lowa DOT Section 4115</u>, <u>Gradation No. 3</u>, Class 2 durability.
- C. Bedding/Joint/Void Filler Aggregate: Crushed stone complying with <u>lowa DOT Section</u> <u>4125</u>, <u>Gradation No. 29</u>.

#### 2.04 PERMEABLE INTERLOCKING PAVERS

- A. Interlocking Concrete Pavers: Comply with ASTM C 936 for minimum 3 1/8 inch thick pavers.
- **B. Clay Brick Pavers:** Comply with ASTM C 1272 for minimum 2 3/4 inch thick, Type F brick for PX applications.

## 2.05 PCC EDGE RESTRAINT

Provide PCC edge restraint complying with <u>Section 7010</u>. A PCC edge restraint may be standard curb and gutter section, a vertical curb section, or a narrow concrete slab.

# PART 3 - EXECUTION

### 3.01 PRE-INSTALLATION PROTECTION

- A. Complete grading, utility installation, and other earth disturbing operations prior to excavating for the permeable paver system.
- B. Prior to placing permeable interlocking pavers, stabilize the drainage area or install sediment control practices upstream to protect the area from sediment in stormwater runoff from disturbed soil.

# 3.02 SUBGRADE PREPARATION FOR PERMEABLE INTERLOCKING PAVERS

- A. Excavate area to the elevations and grades specified in the contract documents.
- B. When underdrain is specified, excavate a minimum 12 inch wide by 8 inch deep trench at locations specified in the contract documents.
- C. Where fill materials are required, compact materials to 95% of maximum Modified Proctor Density. Do not over compact.
- D. Fill and lightly re-grade any areas damaged by erosion, ponding, or traffic compaction prior to placing the engineering fabric.

#### 3.03 ENGINEERING FABRIC

- A. Install engineering fabric over completed subgrade, including trench for underdrain when specified.
- B. Overlap adjacent strips of fabric a minimum of 12 inches.
- C. Extend fabric up the sides of the subbase trench to the bottom of the proposed pavement.

#### 3.04 UNDERDRAIN

#### A. Underdrain Collector Pipes:

- 1. Place 2 inches of filter aggregate in the bottom of the underdrain trench over engineering fabric.
- 2. Begin underdrain collector installation at the outlet and continue upgrade.
- 3. Lay underdrain collector pipe to the proper line and grade. Place pipe with perforations down.
- 4. Place filter aggregate over installed pipe in layers no more than 6 inches thick. Thoroughly tamp each layer with mechanical tampers.
- 5. Provide cleanouts where specified in the contract documents. Comply with <u>Figure</u> <u>4040.232</u>.
- 6. Connect underdrain collector to outlet. Comply with <u>Figure 4040.233</u>. Install rodent guard on all underdrain pipe 6 inches or smaller.
- 7. Install underdrain cleanout pipes and observation wells as specified in the contract documents.

### 3.04 UNDERDRAIN (Continued)

### B. Underdrain Lateral Pipes:

- 1. Place 2 inches of filter aggregate over the bottom of the prepared subgrade at lateral pipe locations specified in the contract documents.
- 2. Lay underdrain lateral over filter aggregate to the proper line and grade. Place pipe with perforations down.
- 3. Connect underdrain laterals to underdrain collector with wye or tee fitting.
- 4. Install plug or cap on upstream end of lateral pipe.
- 5. Place additional filter aggregate along each side of the lateral pipe to the springline of the pipe.

### 3.05 STORAGE AGGREGATE

- A. Place storage aggregate in 6 inch maximum lifts to the thickness specified in the contract documents. If underdrain system is specified, take care not to damage or displace pipe during placement of storage aggregate.
- B. Compact each lift with a vibratory drum roller with a minimum of two passes in vibratory mode and two passes in static mode until no visible movement can be seen in the aggregate layer. Do not crush aggregate. Do not operate compaction equipment directly over underdrain, until a minimum of 12 inches of storage aggregate is placed over the underdrain.
- C. Install storage aggregate to the elevation specified in the contract documents.

# 3.06 FILTER AGGREGATE

- A. Place filter aggregate directly over storage aggregate.
- B. Install aggregate in a single lift with a thickness of 4 inches.
- C. Compact filter aggregate until no visible movement can be seen in the aggregate layer with four passes from a vibratory plate compactor or vibratory roller. If a vibratory roller is utilized, perform the final two passes without vibration. Do not crush aggregate. If specified, proof roll according to <u>Section 2010, 3.06, C</u>.

#### 3.07 BEDDING AGGREGATE

- A. Place bedding aggregate directly over filter aggregate.
- B. Install aggregate in a single lift with a thickness of 2 inches.
- C. Use laser guided spreader or place screed rails on the completed filter aggregate layer. Use screed width no less than the full width of each cross-section component of the roadway and no less than 16 feet for parking areas. Set elevation to reflect compaction following paver placement. Surface variations must be within 3/8 inch when tested with a 10 foot straightedge.
- D. Restrict pedestrians and equipment from screeded bedding prior to placement of pavers.

# 3.08 INSTALLING PCC EDGE RESTRAINT

Place PCC edge restraint according to Section 7010.

# 3.09 INSTALLING INTERLOCKING PERMEABLE PAVER SYSTEM

Place and install pavers according to the pattern specified, the paver manufacturer's published installation specifications, and the following:

- A. Where pavers are placed against a curb and gutter or other pavement, installation of an edge course or soldier course is required if the pavement edge is not straight. Trim pavers as required to compensate for deviations in the adjacent pavement edge. Do not cut pavers to less than 1/3 their original size.
- B. Install PCC edge restraint.
- C. Place chalk lines on the bedding course to maintain straight joint lines.
- D. After pavers have been installed on the bedding course, and all cut pavers have been inserted to provide a full and complete surface, inspect pavers for damaged units and irregular joint lines. Remove and replace pavers as required.
- E. After inspection and replacement of damaged pavers, fill joint openings with bedding stone. Sweep the surface clean.
- F. Compact pavement surface with a minimum of three passes of a vibratory plate compactor capable of at least 5,000 pounds centrifugal compaction force. Vary direction of each pass by 45 degrees to the previous pass. Do not operate plate compactor within 6 feet of an unrestrained pavement edge.
- G. Re-inspect pavers, and remove and replace all damaged units. Refill joint openings completely. Sweep pavers clean. Complete compaction with two passes of the plate compactor.
- H. Refill all paver joint openings with bedding aggregate 6 months after installation.

### 3.10 QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Ensure horizontal alignment of the PCC edge restraint is within 1/2 inch of design alignment.
- B. Ensure final surface is within 3/8 inch when tested with a 10 foot straightedge.
- C. Ensure no greater than 1/8 inch difference in height between adjacent pavers.
- D. Maintain surface elevation within 1/4 inch above adjacent drainage inlets, gutters, and other appurtenances.

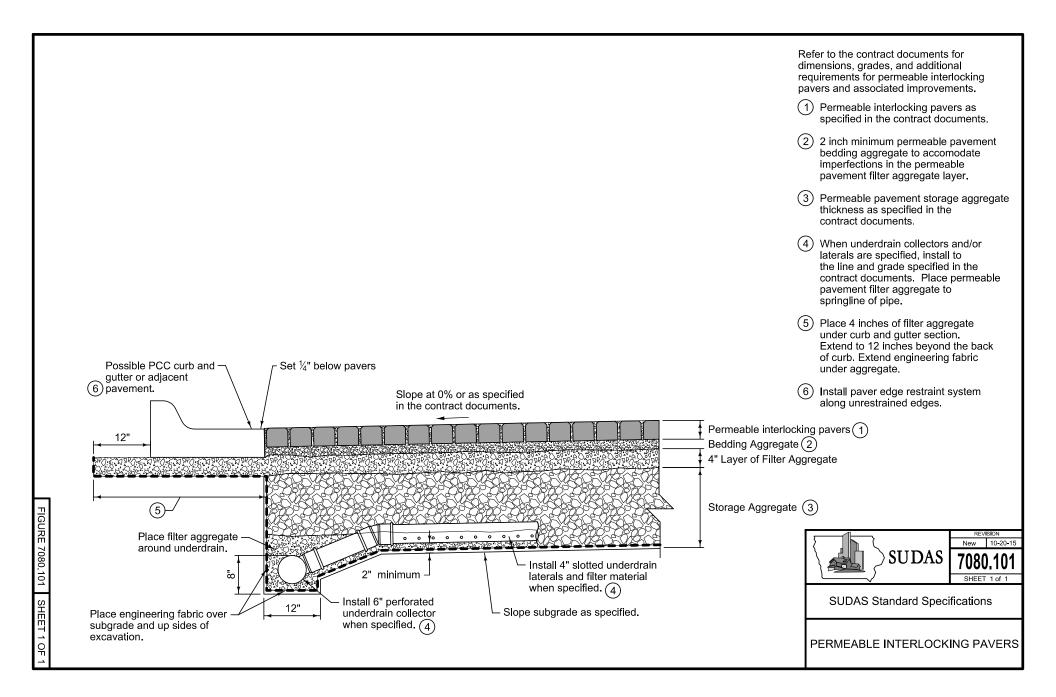
### 3.11 PROTECTION OF PAVEMENT

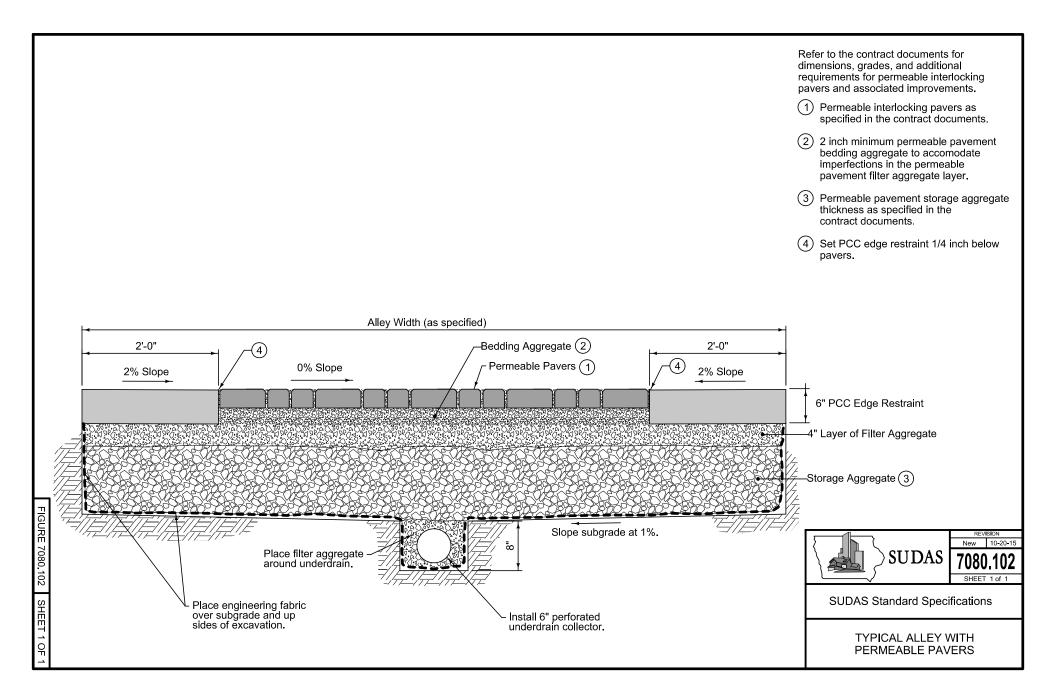
- A. Protect pavement from heavy construction traffic, including trucks, skid steers, loaders, and all tracked vehicles.
- B. Provide barriers and protection as necessary.

# 3.11 **PROTECTION OF PAVEMENT (Continued)**

- C. Do not place soil, mulch, sand, aggregate, or stockpile other materials on the pavement surface that may contaminate the pavement and plug the porous surface.
- D. Remove by vacuuming any base and bedding materials contaminated with sediment and replace with clean materials at no cost to the contracting authority.

END OF SECTION





# COLD-IN-PLACE PAVEMENT RECYCLING

# PART 1 - GENERAL

# 1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

Cold-in-place recycling (CIR) of asphalt roadways

#### 1.02 DESCRIPTION OF WORK

Includes milling and mixing of existing asphalt materials, addition of recycling agents and additives if required, compaction of the reclaimed materials, and curing of the compacted street.

# 1.03 SUBMITTALS

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants as well as the following:

- A. Prepare and submit the job mix formula to the Engineer for approval prior to initiating full recycling operations.
- B. Provide quality control test results.

## 1.04 SUBSTITUTIONS

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants.

# 1.05 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants.

# 1.06 SCHEDULING AND CONFLICTS

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants.

# 1.07 SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS

None.

# 1.08 MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT

- A. Cold-in-place Recycling:
  - 1. **Measurement:** Measurement will be in square yards for the area of roadway recycled.
  - 2. Payment: Payment will be at the unit price per square yard of roadway recycled.
  - **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, milling and sizing of existing asphalt layers; protecting street fixtures; development of a job mix formula; adding and mixing recycling agents and additives, if required; supplying and incorporating water; compacting the reclaimed mix; shaping of the mix; completing secondary compaction, if required; removing any loose or excess material; and final clean up.

# 1.08 MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT (Continued)

#### B. Bituminous Recycling Agents:

- **1. Measurement:** Measurement will be in gallons of asphalt emulsion or foamed asphalt furnished and incorporated.
- **2. Payment:** Payment will be at the unit price per gallon of asphalt emulsion or foamed asphalt furnished and incorporated.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, furnishing and placing of materials and mixing the agent into the recycled mix.

#### C. Chemical Recycling Additives:

- 1. **Measurement:** Measurement will be in tons of chemical recycling additives.
- 2. Payment: Payment will be at the unit price per ton of chemical recycling additives.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, furnishing and placing of materials and mixing the agent into the recycled mix.
- **D.** Fixture Adjustment: Comply with <u>Section 6010</u> for adjustment of manholes and intakes and <u>Section 5020</u> for adjustment of water valves and fire hydrants.
- E. Surface Course: Comply with <u>Section 7011</u> or <u>Section 7021</u> for overlay pavement.

# PART 2 - PRODUCTS

# 2.01 MATERIALS

A. Bituminous Recycling Agent: Use asphalt emulsion (HFMS-2s or CSS-1) meeting the requirements of <u>lowa DOT Section 4140</u>, or foamed asphalt using PG 52-34S asphalt binder meeting the requirements of <u>lowa DOT Sections 2318</u> and <u>4137</u>.

# B. Chemical Recycling Additives:

- 1. Cement complying with <u>lowa DOT Article 4101.01, A</u>.
- 2. Hydrated lime complying with AASHTO M 216.
- 3. If approved by the Engineer, use other proprietary products according to the manufacturer's requirements.
- **C. Water:** Comply with <u>lowa DOT Section 4102</u>. Potable water obtained from an approved supply does not need to be tested.

# 2.02 JOB MIX FORMULA

Compile a job mix formula using an analysis of the existing asphalt pavement layers and the required strength of the recycled pavement section as specified in the contract documents. The job mix formula will identify the recycling agent and any additives; the rates for the recycling agent and additive, if needed; and the rate of water to reach the optimum moisture content. Tolerances should be included to allow the Contractor to adjust the mixture so that it is placed successfully.

# PART 3 - EXECUTION

## 3.01 EQUIPMENT

## A. General:

- 1. Perform cold-in-place recycling between May 1 and October 1.
- 2. Perform recycling operations when weather conditions are such that proper mixing, shaping, and compacting the recycled mix can be accomplished. General criteria includes:
  - a. Begin operations when air temperature is 55°F and rising.
  - b. Cease operations when air temperature is 55°F or less and falling.
  - c. Do not begin operations if the National Weather Service forecasts a temperature of 35°F or less in the next 24 hours or if the weather is rainy or foggy.

## B. Equipment:

- 1. Furnish a self-propelled machine capable of milling the existing paving material to the width and depth specified in the contract documents. Ensure the equipment meets the following:
  - a. Equipped with automatic depth control to maintain a constant depth and width.
  - b. Capable of milling the existing roadway to the required gradation in one pass.
  - c. Accurately controls the rate of flow and total delivery of the recycling agent and additives, if needed, into the recycled mixture in relation to the speed and quantity of the material being recycled.
  - d. Capable of mixing the recycled material and any recycling agent and additive required by the job mix formula into a homogeneous mixture.
- 2. If specified in the contract documents, use an asphalt foaming system that accurately and uniformly adds the required percent of water to the hot asphalt binder. Use equipment fitted with a test nozzle to provide field samples of the foamed asphalt. Equip tankers supplying the hot asphalt binder with a thermometer to continuously monitor the temperature of the asphalt in the bottom third of the tank.
- 3. Use a bituminous paver complying with <u>lowa DOT Article 2001.19</u>. Heating the screed will not be allowed.
- 4. Have the following rollers available for use:
  - a. Double drum steel roller (static and vibratory)
  - b. Pneumatic tire roller (25 ton or greater)

## 3.02 PREPARATION

Prior to initiating the recycling process, undertake the following tasks:

- A. Identify and protect all affected utilities.
- B. Remove excess dirt, vegetation, raised pavement markings, standing water, and any other objectionable materials.

# 3.03 UTILITIES

All utilities within the project limits should be protected prior to the milling. Locate and lower manholes, water valve boxes, and other fixtures a minimum of 2 inches below the bottom of the recycled section. Re-set manhole castings, water valves, and other fixtures to the proper elevations following completion of the compaction of the recycled mixture and placement of any surface course. Protect stormwater intakes by preventing recycled material from entering the drainage system.

# 3.04 CONTROL STRIP

Construct a control strip during the first day of production to verify that the equipment, construction methodology, and workmanship meet the specifications. Adequately size the control strip to verify that the optimal rates of water, recycling agent, and additives can be achieved. Establish a rolling pattern that will result in optimum compaction. The Engineer may waive the control strip provided the Contractor provides proof that the work will meet the specifications based on previous experience using the same equipment, personnel, and materials.

## 3.05 MILLING THE PAVEMENT

Mill the existing asphalt pavement and underlying areas to initiate the recycling process.

- A. Mill the full depth of the asphalt layers in a single pass.
- B. Verify the gradation of the pulverized material meets the specifications.
- C. Provide a 3 inch overlap of the longitudinal joint and 24 inches between transverse joints

## 3.06 RECYCLING AGENT APPLICATION

For single unit recycling trains, add the bituminous agent in the cutting drum. For two-unit trains, add it in the mix paver and for multi-unit trains add the bituminous agent in the pugmill. Ensure residual asphalt content is  $\pm 0.5\%$  of the target established in the job mix formula. Maintain foamed asphalt binder  $\pm 20^{\circ}$ F of the optimum temperature established by the job mix formula.

## 3.07 RECYCLING ADDITIVES

Add chemical recycling agents as additives to applications that use bituminous recycling agents at the rates required by the job mix formula. Apply the chemical additive in dry or slurry form by adding it on the pavement ahead of the milling operation, adding it directly to the mixing chamber, or spraying it over the cutting teeth of the milling machine.

## 3.08 COMPACTION

Ensure recycled material is  $\pm 2\%$  of the optimum moisture content.

- **A. Timing:** Compact the mixed recycled roadway materials based on the type of recycling agent used as follows.
  - **1.** Asphalt Emulsion: Complete compaction at or just after the emulsion breaks.
  - 2. Foamed Asphalt: Initiate immediately after mixing and complete prior to the mixture drying out.

## 3.08 COMPACTION (Continued)

- **B. Process:** Follow the rolling pattern established with construction of the control strip regarding type and size of roller. Perform initial rolling with the pneumatic tired roller and final rolling with the steel wheeled roller. Set the vibratory amplitude/frequency, tire pressure for pneumatic, and static weight of all rollers based on the depth of the recycled mixture to be compacted. Uniformly compact the mixture to a minimum of 94% of maximum dry density according to AASHTO T 134 on a moving average of five consecutive tests with no individual test below 92%.
- **C. Shaping:** Complete rolling to achieve the required density. Ensure the crown of the compacted recycled roadway is within 6 inches of the established centerline, unless otherwise specified in the contract documents.

### 3.09 SECONDARY COMPACTION

If necessary, complete secondary compaction to eliminate wheel marks and minor consolidation caused by construction traffic prior to opening. Complete secondary compaction during daylight hours and when the minimum ambient temperature is 80°F. Suspend operations if cracking of the mat occurs.

### 3.10 SMOOTHNESS

Ensure surface of recycled base course is free of bumps, ruts, indentations, segregation of aggregates and conforms to the required elevations. Check surface with a 10 foot straightedge and correct any irregularity 3/8" or larger. Complete corrective measures at no cost to the contracting agency.

### 3.11 SURFACE COURSE

Protect the CIR surface from damage prior to adding the surface course. Any damage will be repaired at Contractor's expense. Restrict application of overlays and other surface treatments until one of the following has been met:

- A. Average moisture content of the CIR layer is no more than 0.3% above the residual moisture content according to <u>lowa DOT Materials I.M. 504</u> or 3.5%, whichever is greater.
- B. The moisture content of the CIR layer has reached a plateau of less than 5% and has remained constant (within  $\pm$  0.3%) for a minimum of 3 calendar days.
- C. The CIR layer has been completed for 21 calendar days.

The Engineer may adjust this drying period depending on field conditions.

## 3.12 QUALITY CONTROL

The Contractor is responsible for the quality control of the materials and the CIR process.

- A. Sample and test the asphalt recycling agent according to lowa DOT Materials I.M. 204.
- B. Apply the asphalt recycling agent at the target application rate  $\pm$  0.06 gallon per square yard per inch for standard emulsion and  $\pm$  0.33 gallon per square yard per inch for foamed asphalt.

END OF SECTION

## FULL DEPTH RECLAMATION

## PART 1 - GENERAL

## 1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

Full depth reclamation of asphalt roadways

#### 1.02 DESCRIPTION OF WORK

Includes pulverizing and mixing of existing asphalt and underlying materials; addition of stabilizing agents and additives if required; compaction of the reclaimed materials and curing of the compacted street.

### 1.03 SUBMITTALS

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants as well as the following:

- A. Prepare and submit the job mix formula to the Engineer for approval prior to initiating full reclaiming operations.
- B. Provide quality control test results.

### 1.04 SUBSTITUTIONS

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants.

### 1.05 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants.

### 1.06 SCHEDULING AND CONFLICTS

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants.

### 1.07 SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS

None.

### 1.08 MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT

### A. Full Depth Reclamation:

- 1. **Measurement:** Measurement will be in square yards for the area of roadway reclaimed.
- 2. Payment: Payment will be at the unit price per square yard of roadway reclaimed.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, pulverizing and sizing of existing asphalt layers; incorporating and mixing of existing underlying materials; protecting street fixtures; development of a job mix formula; adding and mixing stabilizing agents and additives, if required; compacting the reclaimed mix; shaping of the mix; removing any loose or excess material; curing; and final clean up.

## 1.08 MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT (Continued)

### B. Mechanical Stabilization Agents:

- 1. **Measurement:** Measurement will be in tons of aggregate.
- 2. **Payment:** Payment will be at the unit price per ton of aggregate.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, furnishing and placing of aggregate and blending of the aggregates.

### C. Bituminous Stabilization Agents:

- **1. Measurement:** Measurement will be in gallons of asphalt emulsion or foamed asphalt furnished and incorporated.
- **2. Payment:** Payment will be at the unit price per gallon of asphalt emulsion or foamed asphalt furnished and incorporated.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, furnishing and placing of materials and mixing the agent into the reclaimed mix.

### **D.** Chemical Stabilization Agents:

- 1. Measurement: Measurement will be in tons of chemical stabilization agents.
- 2. Payment: Payment will be at the unit price per ton of chemical stabilization agents.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, furnishing and placing of materials and mixing the agent into the reclaimed mix.

## E. Microcracking

- 1. **Measurement:** Measurement will be in square yards for the area of roadway microcracked.
- 2. Payment: Payment will be at the unit price per square yard of roadway microcracked.

### F. Interlayer for Cement Stabilized Base

- 1. **Measurement:** Measurement will be in square yards for each type and thickness of interlayer.
- 2. **Payment:** Payment will be at the unit price per square yard for each type and thickness of interlayer.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, surface cleaning, furnishing, and placing of the interlayer (if specified).
- **G.** Fixture Adjustment: Comply with <u>Section 6010</u> for adjustment of manholes and intakes and <u>Section 5020</u> for adjustment of water valves and fire hydrants.

# PART 2 - PRODUCTS

## 2.01 MATERIALS

- **A.** Mechanical Stabilizing Agents: Use virgin crushed aggregates, RAP, or crushed PCC in the gradation called for in the job mix formula.
- **B.** Bituminous Stabilizing Agent: Use asphalt emulsion (HFMS-2s) meeting the requirements of <u>lowa DOT Section 4140</u>, or foamed asphalt using PG 52-34S asphalt binder meeting the requirements of <u>lowa DOT Section 4137</u>.

## C. Chemical Stabilizing Agent:

- 1. Cement complying with lowa DOT Article 4101.01, A.
- 2. Class C or Class F Fly Ash complying with lowa DOT Section 4108.
- 3. Hydrated Lime complying with AASHTO M 216.
- 4. Calcium Chloride complying with <u>lowa DOT Section 4194</u>.
- 5. If approved by the Engineer, use proprietary products according to the manufacturer's requirements.
- D. Fog Seal Cure: Comply with lowa DOT Section 2306.
- E. Water: Comply with <u>lowa DOT Section 4102</u>. Potable water obtained from an approved supply does not need to be tested.

### F. Interlayer

- 1. Class A crushed stone complying with <u>lowa DOT Article 4120.04</u>.
- 2. HMA interlayer complying with <u>Section 7021, 2.04, B</u>.

### 2.02 JOB MIX FORMULA

Compile a job mix formula using an analysis of the existing asphalt pavement layers and the subbase/subgrade and the required strength of the reclaimed pavement section as specified in the contract documents. The job mix formula will identify the stabilizing agent and any additives; the rates for the stabilizing agent and additive, if needed; and the rate of water to reach the optimum moisture content. Allowable tolerances should be included to allow the Contractor to adjust the mixture so that it is placed successfully.

## **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

## 3.01 EQUIPMENT

### A. General:

- 1. Perform full depth reclamation between April 1 and November 1.
- 2. Perform reclaiming operations when weather conditions are such that proper mixing, shaping, and compacting the reclaimed mix can be accomplished.

## B. Equipment:

- 1. Furnish a self-propelled machine capable of reclaiming the existing paving material to the width and depth specified in the contract documents. Ensure the equipment meets the following:
  - a. Equipped with automatic depth control to maintain a constant depth and width.
  - b. Capable of pulverizing the existing roadway to the required gradation.
  - c. Accurately controls the rate of flow and total delivery of the stabilizing agent and additives, if needed, into the reclaimed mixture in relation to the speed and quantity of the material being recycled.
  - d. Capable of mixing the reclaimed material and any stabilizing agent and additive required by the job mix formula into a homogeneous mixture.
- 2. If specified in the contract documents, use an asphalt foaming system that accurately and uniformly adds the required percent of water to the hot asphalt binder. Use equipment fitted with a test nozzle to provide field samples of the foamed asphalt. Equip tankers supplying the hot asphalt binder with a thermometer to continuously monitor the temperature of the asphalt in the bottom third of the tank.
- 3. Have the following rollers available for use:
  - a. Sheepsfoot roller
  - b. Double drum steel roller (static and vibratory)
  - c. Pneumatic tire roller (25 ton or greater)
- 4. Provide a motor grader with grade and cross-slope control.

### 3.02 PREPARATION

Prior to initiating the reclaiming process, undertake the following tasks:

- A. Identify and protect all affected utilities.
- B. Remove excess dirt, vegetation, raised pavement markings, standing water, and any other objectionable materials.

### 3.03 UTILITIES

All utilities within the project limits should be protected prior to the pulverization. Locate and lower manholes, water valve boxes, and other fixtures a minimum of 4 inches below the bottom of the reclaimed section. Re-set manhole castings, water valves, and other fixtures to the proper elevations following completion of the compaction of the reclaimed mixture. If lowering of fixtures is not practical, excavate material from around the fixture to a location where it can be pulverized by the reclaimer. Move the pulverized material back around the fixture after mixing and compact with smaller compaction equipment to the required densities. Protect stormwater intakes by preventing reclaimed material from entering the drainage system.

# 3.04 CONTROL STRIP

Construct a control strip during the first day of production to verify that the equipment, construction methodology, and workmanship meet the specifications. Adequately size the control strip to verify that the optimal rates of water, stabilizing agent, and additives can be achieved. Establish a rolling pattern that will result in optimum compaction. The Engineer may waive the control strip provided the Contractor provides proof that the work will meet the specifications based on previous experience using the same equipment, personnel, and materials.

# 3.05 PULVERIZING

Pulverize the existing asphalt pavement and underlying areas to initiate the reclaiming process.

- A. Pulverize the full depth of the asphalt layers and the underlying materials in a single pass, unless multiple passes are specified in the contract documents.
- B. If multiple passes are specified, leave a minimum of 1 inch of the underlying layer intact with the initial pulverizing pass.
- C. Prior to the second pulverizing/mixing pass, complete light compaction and reshaping to establish a solid working base.
- D. Verify the gradation of the pulverized material meets the job mix formula.
- E. Provide a 6 inch overlap of the longitudinal joint and 24 inches between transverse joints when multiple passes are required.

## 3.06 REMOVAL OF EXCESS MATERIAL

Following the initial pulverization pass and prior to the mixing pass, if required, remove any excess reclaimed material from the project area to a site designated by the Engineer as a means to meet final design elevations.

## 3.07 STABILIZING AGENT APPLICATION

- **A. Mechanical:** Spread aggregate in a uniform layer ahead of the pulverizer. Placement can be completed during the initial pulverizing pass or as a part of a mixing pass.
- **B.** Chemical: Spread dry chemical stabilizers onto the reclaimed material between the pulverizing pass and the mixing pass. Take corrective measures if dust is a problem. Apply chemical stabilizers in slurry form through the reclaimer's on-board liquid additive system, if so equipped, or directly on the reclaimed material in advance of the mixing pass. Disburse slurry uniformly over the entire reclaimed roadway. Do not exceed 30 minutes from the time the slurry is applied until the mixing begins. Ensure chemical stabilizer application rate is ± 0.5% as required by the job mix formula.
- **C. Bituminous:** Inject the asphalt emulsion or foamed asphalt at the required rate through the reclaimer's on-board liquid additive system. Ensure residual asphalt content is ± 0.5% of the target established in the job mix formula. Maintain foamed asphalt binder ± 20°F of the optimum temperature established by the job mix formula.

## 3.08 STABILIZING ADDITIVES

Add chemical stabilizing agents as additives to applications that use bituminous stabilizers at the rates required by the job mix formula. Apply the chemical additive in dry form, slurry form, or through the reclaimer's liquid injection system after the pulverizing pass.

### 3.09 COMPACTION

Ensure reclaimed material is within 2% of the optimum moisture content.

- **A. Timing:** Compact the mixed reclaimed roadway materials based on the type of stabilizing agent used as follows:
  - 1. Mechanical: Upon completion of all mixing passes.
  - 2. Chemical:
    - **a.** Cement: Do not exceed two hours between mixing and final compaction.
    - **b.** Hydrated Lime and Kiln Dust: Initiate compaction 4 hours after mixing. Maintain moisture content above the optimum level during that time.
  - 3. Bituminous:
    - **a.** Asphalt Emulsion: Complete compaction at or just after the emulsion breaks.
    - **b.** Foamed Asphalt: Initiate immediately after mixing and complete prior to the mixture drying out.
- **B. Process:** Follow the rolling pattern established with construction of the control strip with respect to type and size of roller. Perform initial rolling with sheepsfoot roller until the roller pads walk out of the reclaimed mix. Set the vibratory amplitude/frequency, tire pressure for pneumatic, and static weight of all rollers based on the depth of the reclaimed mixture to be compacted. Uniformly compact the mixture to a minimum of 98% of maximum dry density according to AASHTO T 134 on a moving average of five consecutive tests with no individual test below 96%.
- **C. Shaping:** Following sheepsfoot roller walk out, cut the reclaimed road bed and shape to required grade and cross-section to remove roller marks. Complete rolling to achieve the required density. Ensure the crown of the compacted reclaimed roadway is within 6 inches of the established centerline, unless otherwise specified in the contract documents. If grade control is required, stake according to <u>Section 11,010, 3.03, A</u>.

## 3.10 CURING

- **A. Moisture:** Following final finishing, maintain the surface moisture by completing regular applications of a light spray of water. Continue moisture cure for a minimum of 7 days. Apply water spray such that the surface is not eroded.
- B. Bituminous: Apply bituminous fog seal within 24 hours of finishing operations. Maintain moisture cure until bituminous cure is placed. Prior to application of fog seal, clean all loose and extraneous materials from the surface. Complete fog seal cure according to <u>lowa DOT</u> <u>Section 2306</u>. If traffic is allowed on the roadway prior to the fog seal drying so that material is picked up on tires, add a sand blotter to the entire roadway width.

### 3.11 MICROCRACKING

If specified in the contract documents, complete microcracking of the cement stabilized reclaimed roadway starting within 24 to 48 hours after moisture curing was initiated. Use a 10 to 12 ton vibratory steel drum roller with vibration set at maximum amplitude and speed limited to 2 mph. Use 3 to 4 passes over the entire roadway except the outside 1 foot on uncurbed sections. Continue moisture curing or apply fog seal cure following completion of microcracking.

### 3.12 INTERLAYER

If specified in the contract documents, complete placement of the HMA interlayer according to <u>Section 7021</u>. Complete placement of the Class A crushed stone interlayer by complying with <u>Iowa DOT Section 2312</u>.

END OF SECTION

## CRACK AND SEAT EXISTING PCC PAVEMENT

## PART 1 - GENERAL

### 1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

Crack and seat of existing PCC pavement prior to overlay.

### 1.02 DESCRIPTION OF WORK

Full-depth saw cut along curbs and in the area of fixtures; cracking of existing PCC pavement; seating of the cracked pavement. Associated work could include subdrain installation; removal and replacement of curb and gutter; removal of existing asphalt overlay or large partial depth patches; vibration monitoring; installing crack control fabric between the leveling course and surface lifts over all full-depth saw cuts; milling of notches along the curb and at the ends of the project.

### 1.03 SUBMITTALS

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants.

### 1.04 SUBSTITUTIONS

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants.

### 1.05 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants.

### 1.06 SCHEDULING AND CONFLICTS

Comply with Division 1 - General Provisions and Covenants.

#### 1.07 SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS

Notify all nearby affected parties 24 hours in advance that vibration generating activities will begin when the pavement cracking operation is ongoing. Report any specific concerns raised by adjacent parties to the Engineer.

### 1.08 MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT

#### A. Crack and Seat of PCC Pavement:

- 1. **Measurement:** Measurement will be in square yards for the area cracked and seated.
- **2. Payment:** Payment will be at the unit price per square yard of roadway cracked and seated.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, notifying adjacent properties, providing traffic control and no parking signs; vibration monitoring if specified; cracking and seating of the designated PCC pavement to the specified pattern; watering to verify crack pattern; protecting existing fixtures; cleaning of slab prior to overlay; and final project site cleanup.

## 1.08 MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT (Continued)

### B. Remove and Replace Curb and Gutter:

- 1. **Measurement:** Measurement will be in linear feet along the face of the curb for each type and size of curb and gutter replaced.
- 2. **Payment:** Payment will be at the unit price per linear foot of curb and gutter removed and replaced.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price include, but is not limited to, full depth sawing; removing and disposing removed materials; furnishing and compacting subgrade material to bring to the proper elevation; all form work required; concrete; placing new curb and gutter; and final cleanup and backfill placement behind the new curb.

## C. Full Depth Saw Cut:

- 1. **Measurement:** Measurement will be in linear feet for the length of full depth saw cut.
- 2. Payment: Payment will be made at the unit price per linear foot of full depth saw cut.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, providing a concrete saw or other cutting device that will result in a full depth vertical edge and severing all tie or reinforcing steel.
- D. Milling: Comply with Section 7040.
- E. Subdrains: Comply with <u>Section 4040</u>.
- F. Fixture Adjustment: Comply with <u>Section 6010</u> for adjustment of manholes (major and minor) and intakes (minor) and <u>Section 5020</u> for adjustment of water valves.
- G. Intake Adjustment, Major:
  - 1. **Measurement:** Each existing intake adjusted to grade by removal of the boxout including any grate assembly and re-setting the grate or adjusting the open throat elevation of the intake will be counted.
  - 2. Payment: Payment will be made at the unit price for each major intake adjustment.
  - **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, sawing all three sides of the boxout; removing and replacing the boxout; furnishing and installing a new grate assembly or, if specified, removing and re-setting the existing grate assembly; removing existing open-throat intake grate; adjusting intake walls; furnishing and installing new intake grate or, if specified, re-setting existing intake grate; and furnishing, placing, and compacting backfill.

# H. Joint Control Fabric:

- 1. **Measurement**: Measurement will be in linear feet of 12 inch wide joint control fabric placed.
- **2. Payment:** Payment will be made at the unit price per linear foot of joint control fabric placed.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, cleaning and preparing the surface, furnishing, placing, and adhering joint control fabric prior to placing surface lift.

## 1.08 MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT (Continued)

- I. Partial Depth Patch Removal:
  - 1. Measurement: Measurement will be in square feet of partial depth patch removed.
  - 2. **Payment:** Payment will be at the unit price per square feet of partial depth patches removed.
  - **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, provide equipment and removing all designated partial depth patches down to the base PCC, cleaning of the former patch area; and disposal of the patch material.

### J. Rock Interlayer:

- 1. Measurement: Measurement will be in tons of rock interlayer.
- 2. Payment: Payment will be at the unit price per ton of rock interlayer.
- **3. Includes:** Unit price includes, but is not limited to, furnishing and placing the rock interlayer to the thickness specified.

# PART 2 - PRODUCTS

# 2.01 MATERIALS

**A.** Joint Control Fabric: Supply a polypropylene, needle punched, non-woven fabric coated with asphalt adhesive on one side and asphalt tack coat on the other meeting the following average roll values.

Property	Test Method	Unit	Minimum Value
Strip Tensile Strength	ASTM D882 <sup>1</sup>	lbs/inch	45
Puncture Resistance	ASTM E154	lbs	175
Pliability	ASTM D146 <sup>2</sup>		No cracks

<sup>1</sup> Use 12 in/min test speed and a 1 inch initial distance between grips

<sup>2</sup>Use 180° bend on 1/4 inch mandrel at -25°F

**B.** Rock Interlayer: Meet the requirements of <u>lowa DOT Section 4120</u> for Class A crushed stone.

# PART 3 - EXECUTION

## 3.01 EQUIPMENT

## A. Equipment:

- 1. **Cracking Equipment:** Provide a segmental type breaker capable of controlled forward and transverse movement and of fracturing the pavement to the full depth of the slab while maintaining the fractured face interlock of the aggregate. Do not use equipment that punches holes in the pavement or results in excessive spalling.
- **2. Seating Equipment:** Use a pneumatic rubber tire roller with a minimum weight of 30 tons.

### 3.02 PREPARATION

Prior to initiating the crack and seat process, undertake the following tasks:

- A. Identify and protect all affected utilities.
- B. Set up all traffic control including parking restrictions.
- C. Install subdrains if specified in the contract documents.
- D. Remove all asphalt overlays.
- E. Notify adjacent property owners.

## 3.03 FULL DEPTH SAW CUTS

Prior to initiating the crack and seat operation:

- A. Complete full depth saw cuts along the curb line as shown the contract documents.
- B. Complete full depth saw cuts at the edges of all manhole and intake boxouts. If manhole boxouts are not present, saw a 5 feet by 5 feet diamond shape around the manhole casting.
- C. At water valves and other fixtures, complete a full depth saw cut in a square shape a minimum of 6 inches from the edge of the fixture.

### 3.04 PARTIAL DEPTH PATCHES

Remove partial depth patches that are not solid or sound and larger than 4 square feet according to <u>Section 7040</u>.

### 3.05 INTAKE ADJUSTMENT, MAJOR

- A. Grate Type: Saw and remove existing boxout and intake grate assembly. If minor adjustments using adjustment rings is not possible, rebuild intake walls according to <u>Section 6010</u> to the proper elevation and set new grate assembly. Existing intake grate assembly may be used when specified in the contract documents. Replace boxout to meet new elevations.
- **B. Open-throat Type:** Saw and remove existing boxout and intake top. Adjust intake walls according to <u>Section 6010</u> to meet new elevations and install new intake grate. Existing intake grate may be reused when specified in the contract documents. Replace boxout to meet new elevations.

# 3.06 TEST SECTION

At the start of cracking operations, the Engineer will designate a 100 foot test section. Utilize varying energy and crack spacing until a satisfactory spacing is established. Furnish and apply water to the test section to allow visual verification of the cracking pattern. Apply water to the cracked sections at least once per day or when pavement depth changes to verify crack pattern is being maintained. If conditions change, the Engineer may order the development of a new test section.

## 3.07 CRACKING

- A. Crack the existing pavement to produce full depth transverse hairline cracks with a spacing of 18 to 36 inches.
- B. Do not induce cracking within 2 feet of an existing transverse joint or crack.
- C. Prevent the formation of continuous longitudinal cracks.
- D. Do not destabilize the subgrade.
- E. Do not damage utility fixtures.

## 3.08 SEATING

- A. Seat the cracked pavement with a minimum of two passes of the 30 ton pneumatic roller. If two passes are not sufficient, continue rolling until the Engineer determines seating is adequate.
- B. Complete seating of all areas cracked each work day.

## 3.09 MILLING

If specified in the contract documents, complete notch and runout milling according to Figure 7021.101.

### 3.10 REMOVAL OF MATERIAL

Following the crack and seat process remove dirt, debris, and loose materials prior to opening the roadway to local traffic and again prior to placing the leveling course and surface lift.

## 3.11 JOINT CONTROL FABRIC

Install joint control fabric over full depth saw cuts prior to final overlay lift according to the manufacturer's recommendations.

END OF SECTION

