

1 Amend **Section 604 - Manholes, Inlets and Catch Basins** to read as follows:

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3 **"SECTION 604 - MANHOLES, INLETS AND CATCH BASINS**

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5 **604.01 Description.** This work includes constructing and/or adjusting
6 manholes, inlets, catch basins, and/or standard valve boxes according to the
7 contract.

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9 **604.02 Materials.** Concrete for structures shall be of the class specified.
10 Concrete shall conform to Section 601 - Structural Concrete. If concrete in
11 structures is to come in direct contact with sewage or sewage gases, the
12 Contractor shall modify the proportioning of concrete according to Section 625 -
13 Sewer System.

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15 Brick for water valve manhole shall be concrete brick. Brick for water
16 valve manhole shall conform to Subsection 704.02 - Concrete Brick.

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18 Other materials shall conform to the following:

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20 Asphalt Filler	702.07
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22 Structural Backfill Material	703.20
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24 Trench Backfill Material	703.21
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26 Asphalt (Filler) Type C Asphalt	705.06(C)
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28 Clay or Shale Brick	704.01
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30 Mortar for Manholes	705.08
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32 Reinforcing Steel	709.01
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34 Precast Concrete Units	712.06
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36 Frames, Grates, Covers and Ladder Rungs	712.07
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38 Pipe Collar for Valve Box	712.22
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40 Cullet Materials for Utility Structures	717.03
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42 Cullet Materials for Drainage Systems	717.04

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44 When the location of manufacturing plants allows, the Engineer may
45 inspect the plants periodically for compliance with specified manufacturing
46 methods. The Engineer may get material samples to verify compliance with

the contract. This may be the basis for acceptance of manufacturing lots regarding quality.

The condition of materials will be subject to inspection for acceptance before or during incorporation of materials into the work.

604.03 Construction Requirements.

(A) General. Concrete construction shall conform to Section 503 - Concrete Structures.

Reinforcing steel work shall conform to Section 602 - Reinforcing Steel.

A certified welder shall do the shop and field welding according to Section 501 - Steel Structures.

Dip or soak the brick in water before laying the bricks. Joints shall be full mortar joints. Joints shall not be more than 0.5-inch wide. Joints in the brick work on the inside portion of the brick manhole shall be neatly struck.

The Contractor may furnish and install storm drain manholes, inlets, and catch basins as precast units or combined precast and cast-in-place units. Units completed in place shall conform to cast-in-place construction specified in the contract. If the Contractor uses precast units or combination of precast and cast-in-place units, the Contractor shall submit shop drawings to the Engineer for acceptance before construction.

(B) Manholes, Inlets, and Catch Basins. Construct the concrete base according to the contract. Allow the concrete to set for at least 24 hours before constructing additional material on this base. Do not remove the forms for at least 24 hours after placing the concrete. Finish the concrete while the concrete is still fresh.

(1) Sewer Manholes. The Contractor may make the sanitary sewer manholes entirely of bricks from the concrete base upwards if:

(a) the invert to the top of the frame is 10 feet deep or less,

(b) the invert is not below the ground water table, and

93 (c) the Contractor locates the manhole in a relatively dry
94 area.

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96 Make the manhole walls below the 10-foot depth of
97 concrete.

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99 Construct precast concrete sewer manhole sections
100 according to the contract and ASTM C 478.

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102 Place the reinforcing steel for precast sections according to
103 ASTM C 478.

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105 Construct cast-in-place sewer manhole walls according to
106 the contract.

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108 Place the reinforcing steel for cast-in-place manhole walls
109 according to the contract.

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111 An expert cement finisher shall shape and finish the sanitary
112 sewer manhole inverts using accepted mortar.

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114 Plaster the outer portion of the sewer manhole bricks with a
115 one inch thickness of accepted mortar. Plaster the interior brick
116 work to present a smooth surface.

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118 **(2) Water Valve Manholes.** If portion of the brick manhole is
119 below the four-foot elevation, USGS datum, or ground water
120 table, waterproof the depth of the manhole below such elevation.
121 Apply an interior and exterior coat of accepted mortar. The
122 mortar coat shall have a thickness of not less than five-eighths inch
123 on each face. Extend the waterproof from the four-foot elevation or
124 ground water table:

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126 (a) down to the bottom of the floor slab on the outside
127 portion of the manhole and

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129 (b) to the top of the floor slab on the inside portion of the
130 manhole.

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132 Leave a space of at least two inches between the brick and
133 the upper half of the barrel of the pipe. Fill that space with a
134 specified asphalt filler. Install reinforced concrete lintels, made
135 from Class B Concrete, in the Type A Manholes shown in the
136 contract.

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138 Upon completion, clean the manhole thoroughly of debris
139 and paint the frame and cover with one coat of accepted asphaltum
140 paint.

142 **(3) Storm Drain Manholes, Inlets, and Catch Basins.** The
143 contract requires rungs at 12 inches on centers when the height of
144 the structure is greater than 4.5 feet. Measure the height of the
145 structure from the invert to the top of the structure.

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147 Install one rung 16 inches from the bottom or as specified by
148 the Engineer if the height of the structure is 4.5 feet or less.
149 Install additional rungs when specified by the Engineer.

150
151 Construct precast concrete storm drain manhole sections
152 according to the contract and ASTM C 478.

153
154 Place reinforcing steel for precast sections according to
155 ASTM C 478.

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157 **(C) Setting Frames.** Place the frames in the concrete according to
158 the contract. Carefully tamp the concrete around the frame.

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160 Set the frame in full mortar beds. Bring the mortar up around the
161 bottom of the frame.

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163 **(D) Excavation and Backfill.** Excavate and backfill according to
164 Section 206 - Excavation and Backfill for Conduits and Structures.

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166 **(E) Reconstructing Manholes.** Reconstruct the existing manholes
167 to the required elevations according to the contract and as ordered by the
168 Engineer. Adjust the manhole frame to the required grade using the
169 same type of material used in its original construction. Carefully
170 remove, clean, and paint the existing frame and cover with accepted
171 asphaltum paint before reinstallation.

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173 **(F) Constructing and/or Adjusting Valve Boxes.** Construct or
174 adjust the valve boxes to the required elevations according to the contract
175 and as ordered by the Engineer.

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177 Set and center the 8-inch pipe collar plumb over the valve stem.
178 Ends of the pipe collar shall have smooth, machined edges. Backfill
179 around the gate valve and pipe collar with trench backfill by hand.
180 Backfill 8 inches below the surface of the ground.

181
182 Upon completion of installation, clean and paint the valve box
183 frames and covers with one coat of accepted asphaltum paint.

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185 Adjust the existing valve boxes to the required grade using the
186 same type of material used in its original construction. Carefully
187 remove, clean, and paint the existing cast iron frame and cover with
188 accepted asphaltum paint. Cut the existing pipe collar or install a new pipe

189 collar. Reinstall the frame and cover and pour the four inch thick
190 concrete.

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192 **604.04 Method of Measurement.**

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194 (1) Manholes, inlets, catch basins, and other types of drainage
195 structure will be paid per each in accordance with the contract documents.

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197 (2) The Engineer will measure steel frame grates, steel grates, and
198 cast iron frame and cover, and adjusting frame and cover per each in
199 accordance with the contract documents, for work on grates, frames, and
200 covers that do not affect their respective drainage structure body or neck.

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202 **604.05 Basis of Payment.** The Engineer will pay for the accepted pay
203 items listed below at the contract price per pay unit, as shown in the proposal
204 schedule. Payment will be full compensation for the work prescribed in this
205 section and the contract documents.

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207 The Engineer will pay for each of the following pay items when included in
208 the proposal schedule:

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210	Pay Item	Pay Unit
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212	Type ____ Manholes, ____ feet to ____ feet	Each
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215 (1) 20 percent of the contract bid price upon completion of excavating
216 to the depth established for the manhole.

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218 (2) 60 percent of the contract bid price upon completion of constructing
219 the manhole.

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221 (3) 20 percent of the contract bid price upon completion of backfilling
222 around the manhole.

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224	Type ____ Inlet, ____ feet to ____ feet	Each
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226 The Engineer will pay for:

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228 (1) 20 percent of the contract bid price upon completion of excavating
229 to the depth established for the inlet.

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231 (2) 60 percent of the contract bid price upon completion of constructing
232 the inlet.

233

234 (3) 20 percent of the contract bid price upon completion of backfilling
235 around the inlet.

236 Type ____ Catch Basins, ____ feet to ____ feet Each

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238 The Engineer will pay for:

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240 (1) 20 percent of the contract bid price upon completion of excavating
241 to the depth established for the catch basin.

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243 (2) 60 percent of the contract bid price upon completion of constructing
244 the catch basin.

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246 (3) 20 percent of the contract bid price upon completion of backfilling
247 around the catch basin.

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249 Type ____ Structure, ____ feet to ____ feet Each

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251 The Engineer will pay for:

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253 (1) 20 percent of the contract bid price upon completion of excavating
254 to the depth established for the structure.

255

256 (2) 60 percent of the contract bid price upon completion of constructing
257 the structure.

258

259 (3) 20 percent of the contract bid price upon completion of backfilling
260 around the structure.

261

262 Reconstructed Type ____ Manholes, ____ feet to ____ feet Each

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264 The Engineer will pay for:

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266 (1) 80 percent of the contract bid price upon completion of
267 reconstructing the manhole.

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269 (2) 20 percent of the contract bid price upon completion of removing,
270 cleaning, and painting the existing frame and cover.

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272 Reconstructed Type ____ Inlet, ____ feet to ____ feet Each

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274 The Engineer will pay for:

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276 (1) 80 percent of the contract bid price upon completion of
277 reconstructing the inlet.

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279 (2) 20 percent of the contract bid price upon completion of removing,
280 cleaning, and painting the existing frame and cover.

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283 Reconstructed Type ____ Catch Basins, ____ feet to ____ feet Each

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285 The Engineer will pay for:

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287 (1) 80 percent of the contract bid price upon completion of
288 reconstructing the catch basin.

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290 (2) 20 percent of the contract bid price upon completion of removing,
291 cleaning, and painting the existing frame and cover.

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293 Adjusting ____ Frame and Cover Each

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295 The Engineer will pay for:

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297 (1) 80 percent of the contract bid price upon completion of adjusting
298 the frame and grate.

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300 (2) 20 percent of the contract bid price upon completion of installing,
301 cleaning, and painting the frame and cover.

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303 Adjusting ____ Steel Frames and Grates Each

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305 The Engineer will pay for:

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307 (1) 80 percent of the contract bid price upon completion of adjusting
308 the steel frame and grate.

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310 (2) 20 percent of the contract bid price upon completion of installing,
311 cleaning, and painting the frame and cover.

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313 Type ____ Steel Grates Each

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315 The Engineer will pay for:

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317 (1) 100 percent of the contract bid price upon completion of the
318 furnishing and installing steel grate.

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320 Type ____ Cast Iron Frame and Cover Each

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322 The Engineer will pay for:

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324 (1) 100 percent of the contract bid price upon completion of furnishing
325 and installing cast iron frame and grate."

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