

SECTION 645 – WORK ZONE TRAFFIC CONTROL

Make the following amendments to said Section:

(I) Amend **Subsection 645.03 Construction** by adding the following paragraphs after line 170 to read as follows:

“(1) Covers. Use sign covers when existing signs confuse the public or are in conflict with TCP signs installed. Sign covers shall be commercially manufactured and accepted by the Engineer before use. Sign covers shall at all times and under all conditions not allow any portion of the sign being covered to be visible. If more than one side of the sign has words or symbols cover all sides of the signs until needed. “Homemade” or “field made” covers shall not be used. Cover both sides of the sign if both sides have symbols or words. Covering of sign identification markings are not required if that is the only markings on that side of the sign. Sign covers shall be maintained.

Removal of the existing sign in lieu of the use of sign covers may be acceptable to the Engineer provided the previously removed existing sign is immediately reinstalled when directed. Removal of existing post(s) and mounting hardware is required if not used by the new TCP sign. New mounting hardware shall be used to mount the TCP signs if the existing hardware is in an unacceptable condition in the opinion of the Engineer. In addition, should the sign or post during storage, in the opinion of the Engineer, become unacceptable or lost or stolen the Contractor shall replace the sign or post with a new sign or post. Use new hardware to reinstall the sign regardless whether it is an existing sign or new.”

(II) Amend **Subsection 645.03(H) Advertisement** from lines 391 to 392 to read as follows:

“Place advertisement for three consecutive days and within one week before traffic pattern changes, in publication as ordered by the Engineer. In lieu of the advertisement(s), the Engineer may substitute the use of two portable changeable message boards and accessories at no additional cost for three days for each required advertisement.”

(III) Amend **Subsection 645.03(F) Lane Closures** from lines 248 to 270 to read as follows:

Lane closures will be allowed only from 9:00 p.m. to 12:00 Midnight (Sunday thru Thursday) and 12:00 Midnight to 5:00 a.m. Monday thru Friday. Exceptions to lane closure hours specified require written acceptance by the Engineer. No increase in contract price or contract time will be given for lane closure restrictions specified.

For all islands, no lane closures will be allowed during 24-hour periods as follows:

- (1) Day preceding holiday (3:00 p.m. to Midnight), except as otherwise specified.
- (2) Holidays (Midnight to Midnight).
- (3) Day before and day after Thanksgiving Day (Midnight to Midnight).
- (4) Three-week holiday period for Christmas and New Years (Midnight to Midnight).
- (5) Other dates of events indicated in the contract documents.

(IV) Amend **Subsection 645.04 Measurement** from lines 394 to 403 to read as follows:

"645.04 Measurement.

- (A) Traffic control as specified in Subsection 645.03 - Construction including sign covers and the initial advertisement(s) will be measured on a contract lump sum basis. Measurement for payment will not apply.
- (B) The Engineer will measure additional police officers, additional traffic control devices, and additional advertisements, if ordered by the Engineer, on a force account basis, in accordance with Subsection 109.06 - Force Account Provisions and Compensation."

(V) Amend **Subsection 645.05 Payment** from lines 405 to 428 to read as follows:

"645.05 Payment. The Engineer will pay for the accepted traffic control, additional police officers, additional traffic control devices, and additional advertisements at the contract price per pay unit, as shown in the proposal schedule. Payment will be full compensation for the work prescribed in this section and the contract documents.

The Engineer will pay for the following pay items when included in the proposal schedule:

Pay Item	Pay Unit
Traffic Control	Lump Sum

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95 Additional Police Officers, Additional Traffic Control Devices,
96 and Additional Advertisements Force Account
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98 An estimated amount for the force account may be allocated in the proposal
99 schedule under "Additional Police Officers, Additional Traffic Control Devices, and
100 Additional Advertisements", but the actual amount to be paid will be the sum shown
101 on the accepted force account records, whether this sum be more or less than the
102 estimated amount allocated in the proposal schedule.
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104 The Engineer will not pay for request submittals. The Engineer will not
105 consider claims for additional compensation of late submittals or requests by
106 Contractor."
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110 **END OF SECTION 645**